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14 CRATERS ON ETNA BELCH LAVA FLOODS

Crowds Watch Advancing Incandescent Streams in Shower of Ashes and Snow.

VILLAGES SPARED SO FAR

Enormous Damage Already, Says Perret—People in Flight While Soldiers Strive to Stay Panic.

By the MARQUIS DE RUVOLITO.
Dispatch to The London Daily Mail.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

NICOLOSI, ON SLOPES OF MOUNT ETNA, Sicily, March 25.—To-night I am at the edge of the eruption of Mount Etna and the sight is extraordinarily impressive.

The hills of lava are slowly moving forward. They are like great ramparts, and burning cascades of fire fall down from them. I could see from the top of a hill near here about fifteen miles of blazing lava.

Enormous crowds of people are watching the progress of the molten mass. The air is full of sparks, and cinders are raining down on the spectators, upon whom also snow has been falling.

Advancing Two Feet a Minute.

CATANIA, Sicily, March 25.—From the top of the old crater of Mount Etna volumes of white smoke are issuing to-night, while from the new craters that have formed lava is gushing. From time to time large incandescent masses explode with loud detonations and emissions of black smoke. From Catania and along the entire railway surrounding Etna thousands of persons are watching the volcano, following with telescopes the progress of the eruption.

It has now been ascertained that the openings from which the lava is issuing number fourteen. The heat from the currents is so intense that it is impossible to approach nearer than 150 feet of them. The progress down the mountain side now averages fifteen feet every seven minutes.

Late to-night it was considered most probable that the streams would pass between Borrello and Nicolosi without touching them. These streams have already surpassed in volume those of the eruption of 1892, but changing their courses just as they reached Belpasso and Nicolosi they invaded the main roads near these two villages, which now seem to have been saved from destruction. The villagers are still fearful, however, and in both places soldiers are camped in the squares to avert a panic, while the Mayors and parish priests are heroically ministering to the needy.

The people are pleading for assistance, especially for carts in which to remove their household effects from the volcanic region. The Government has turned over to the Prefect $2,000 with which to give assistance.

Cardinal Francica Nava, Archbishop of Catania, who returned to-day to the scene of the eruption, promised to bring back to the people of Nicolosi and Belpasso the veil of St. Agatha, which they believe has the power to stop the advancing lava.

Prof. Ricco, the Director of the observatory on the volcano, despite a narrow escape from death to-day, when he was caught in a flurry of smoke and cinders, has returned to the lava fields. To those who advised prudence he replied: "My post is now there." Frank A. Perret of Brooklyn, who is attached to the Royal Observatory on Mount Vesuvius, arrived here to-day, and proceeded immediately to the scene of the eruption.

Enormous Damage Says Perret.

On his arrival at Nicolosi this evening Mr. Perret sent the following telegram to Catania:

"The great eruption continues with unabated violence. The craters constantly are throwing out liquid fire and rock to a height of twenty meters. It is a magnificent though terrifying spectacle.

"The lava has flowed ten kilometers (about seven miles) in two days. The lower end of the stream is 200 meters broad and 5 meters high. The stream is advancing 60 meters per hour, destroying vineyards and houses.

"Enormous damage to property has been done. The Alpine Club's refuge has been destroyed.

"The lava will reach and partly destroy Borrello and Belpasso within three days if present conditions continue. Nicolosi is not in danger.

"There is now little smoke from the eruption. The central crater is inactive, but there are prolonged rumblings within it. The explosions from the side craters are very terrifying.

"I have measured the surface temperature at the lower end of the lava stream, and it registers 900 degrees centigrade. The lava does not form in a crust around trees, but ignites them.

"Crowds of visitors are enjoying the wonderful spectacle.

"The present eruption is the sequel to the abortive outbreak in April, 1908, and was expected and even predicted.

"I hope soon to visit the mouths which have not as yet been visited by any one. The entire path of the ascent of the volcano is covered with burning lava, in some places shallow and other deep. It is 600 meters broad.

"The final result of the eruption cannot be predicted, all depending upon the duration of the phenomenon. The latest observations show a slight reduction in the intensity of the eruption.

An official report made public this forenoon, while confirming the gravity of the situation, held out the hope that the worst was over. Of the new craters four have opened at the foot of Mount Castellazzo, four miles in an air line from the summit of Etna. One of these, at a spot called Tosca Albanelli, is not throwing out much lava, but is the noisiest of the four, and its loud detonations are chiefly responsible for the terror of the population for miles around. A second crater is 600 feet above in a place called Volta Sargirol Amo. This is 7,000 feet above the sea, and the most active of the openings, emitting the greatest flood of incandescent matter. At Tasca Arena is a third break also very active and near it is the fourth, showing a less serious eruption. It is the streams from these craters which have united at the foot of Mount Castellazzo and formed the great

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AMERICAN VESSELS SEIZED.

Madriz Using Them Against Insurgents —Kimball Refuses to Interfere.

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, March 25.—The American-owned schooners Lark and Esfuerzo have been seized by Emigue Espinoza, a brother of Rodolfo Espinoza, former Nicaraguan Minister to the United States. They were seized in the name of the Constitutional Government and taken to Greytown and turned over to the troops of President Madriz to be used as transports. The strength of Madriz at Greytown is about 2,000 men.

The owners of the vessels made a protest to the American Consul against the seizure, and he notified the commander of the gunboat Paducah, which sailed immediately for Greytown to secure the release of the schooners. The Paducah, however, returned here to-day without the Lark and Esfuerzo, having received instructions from Rear Admiral Kimball that if they were flying a foreign flag they were not to be interfered with.

This decision of Rear Admiral Kimball, it is said, will entirely stop commerce between Bluefields and Prinzapulca, which is the port of entry for the mining camps, and which does a large American business, as the owners of the remaining American vessels fear that they will be seized and held.

The case of the Lark and the Esfuerzo has been referred to the Washington Government.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW ORLEANS, La., March 25.—Agents of both Madriz and Estrada are active in New Orleans. The Estradists, according to current rumor, have organized a filibustering expedition here of 500 men equipped with arms and ammunition brought by rail from New York. The munitions of war are stored away in some warehouse, it is said, and only two of the leaders are aware of its location. Meantime advices from Nicaragua state that the insurgents have secured funds to further the cause. Unconfirmed rumor has it that the funds were supplied by American merchants in Bluefields. Some force is lent to this humor by the chartering of two ships by the agents of the Estrada forces.

Madriz's representatives in the United States, including Luis Corea, who had much to do with the position assumed by Mexico just prior to Zelaya's abdication, are here working to prevent the sailing of the Estradist expedition.

Cable advices received here to-day by agents of the Madriz Government announced that the converted yachts Lark and Esfuerzo, recently captured by the Madriz forces, had arrived at Greytown and were being used there in assembling an army which will proceed against Bluefields.

Gen. Gordon and P. J. Chamorro, agents of the insurgents, ridicule the Greytown reports, and say that the Madriz forces can only reach the Atlantic Coast by a cross-country march through the bush against heavy odds, and that in such an undertaking they would fail.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, March 25.—Capt. Godfrey Fowler, the American who was wounded while in command of the insurgent artillery at the battle of Tisma, has been found hidden in Granada, and to-day the Government voluntarily delivered him to Rear Admiral Kimball with the request that he be sent out of the country.

GUN FIGHT IN THE STREET.

Two Men Exchanging Shots at Close Range Cause Crowd to Scurry Away.

Two men armed with heavy calibre revolvers exchanging shots at close range in Third Avenue, near the corner of Fifty-third Street, last night, and the probable wounding of one of the principals sent pedestrians scurrying in all directions.

Scarcely had the reports of the revolvers died away when scores of men took courage and started in pursuit of one of the gun fighters. The fugitive turned and fired three times as he drew near the corner of Third Avenue and Fifty-fourth Street.

Israel Brenkman of 309 Broadway and Edward Bessinger of 424 East Fifty-second Street, who saw the fight, told the police that one of the gun fighters had been shot in the head and had been hustled aboard a car by friends.

The other man was finally captured by Detective Tobin and Patrolman Cooney of the East Fifty-first Street Station, between Park Avenue and Lexington Avenue.

At the East Fifty-first Street Station he said he was Dominick Catalina, 26 years old, of 159 East Fifty-third Street, and a vegetable dealer.

When searched a number of cartridges and a knife were found on him. He denied having had a revolver, but men in the crowd that had followed him said he had tossed the gun over a fence during his flight.

LAWYER WINS $131,625 FEE.

S. F. Hyman Gets Judgment Against New York Phonograph Company.

Special to The New York Times.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., March 25.—Unless the decision of Justice Keogh, recorded to-day, is reversed by the higher court, Samuel F. Hyman will receive one of the largest fees ever awarded in Westchester County. Hyman obtained a lien for $131,625 against the New York Phonograph Company, which is one-half the amount received by the company in settlement of more than 400 suits against phonograph parlors and supply houses throughout the country begun by Mr. Hyman in 1906.

In that year Hyman made a contract with the company, which claimed the exclusive right to the patents on Edison phonographs, to do its legal business for a yearly fee of $5,000 and the right to use the phonographs for amusement purposes. Soon afterward the National Phonograph Company and Thomas Edison obtained an injunction limiting the public use of phonographs, and Hyman was therefore unable to get the benefit of his contract.

He was authorized to bring about 400 actions against the proprietors of slot machine exhibition parlors, phonograph supply houses, and others, and then in 1909, after the suits had been in litigation for several years, he was deposed as attorney and Levintritt, Cook & Nathan substituted.

The pending actions, which were for sums aggregating $405,000, were settled for $263,250, and Hyman brought suit for one-half the amount and won it.

A FAMOUS PLACE TO DINE or Lunch, Hofbrau Haus, B'way & 30th St. Music —Adv.

GRAFT PROBE HITS PITTSBURG BANKS

Controller Orders City Funds Withdrawn from Six at Grand Jury's Request.

THIRTY-ONE ARE INDICTED

City Depositories Are Ordered to Investigate Their Own Boards and Report on Monday.

PITTSBURG, Penn., March 25.—In two presentments handed up to Judge Josiah Cohen to-day the Grand Jury made unexpected disclosures concerning Councilmanic graft, ordered indictments against thirty-one present and past Councilmen, and demanded that the Directors of the city depositories investigate their own boards and ascertain the bribe-givers in connection with the ordinance designating their institutions as city depositories. The demand upon the banks indicates that even more sensational developments than have been exposed may be expected on Monday, when the bank Directors, complying with the demand of the Grand Jury, make their report in court.

A result of the presentments was the order of City Controller Morrow, late to-day, for the withdrawal of all city funds from the six banks and the practical nullification of the ordinance designating them as custodians of city funds. There is about $3,640,000 in these banks now, and this would be increased by many millions in the next week by taxes that are being paid. According to the Controller, the withdrawal of funds will be gradual, however, so that the institutions may not be embarrassed, or any undue alarm caused to depositors.

Will Withdraw City Funds.

The extract from the presentment calling upon the bank Directors reads:

> We call upon the Directors of the six banks named as city depositories to investigate who paid for each of the said banks the bribes herein set forth, and report the same to this Grand Jury not later than Monday, March 28, 1910. And we further demand that said report be in writing and certified to by Directors of said banks individually.
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> We strongly recommend and insist that the proper officials of the City of Pittsburg take immediate legal action to nullify the ordinance naming the Farmers' Deposit National Bank, the Second National Bank of Pittsburg, the German National Bank of Pittsburg, the German National Bank of Allegheny, the Columbia National Bank of Pittsburg, and the Workingman's Savings and Trust Company of Allegheny as city depositories in order that the bribe-givers may not benefit by reason of their own wrongdoing and criminal conduct.

The presentments give full details of the plot on the part of the Councilmen to obtain bribes from the six banks, the means adopted for paying the bribes are related, and the story of the transfer of $45,000 by an unnamed man to ex-Councilman Charles Stewart in the Hotel Imperial, New York, is told.

It is related that Max G. Leslie, ex-Chairman of the Republican County Committee, received $25,000 by arrangement between E. H. Jennings and F. A. Griffen of the Columbia National Bank, and that Leslie gave William Brand, then President of Common Council, directly or indirectly, $17,500, to obtain the city deposits for the Columbia National Bank. An unnamed man is said to be interested and concerned in the payment of the money by Leslie to Brand, either as intermediary or principal.

Charge Mutilation of Bank's Books.

It is declared that Morris Einstein received $15,000 from the Workingman's Savings and Trust Company to have that bank named as a city depository, but the name of the official of the bank who paid him the money is unknown. It is declared in the presentments that the members of the Grand Jury are of the opinion that the books of the Workingman's Bank have been mutilated, three pages referring to this deal having been cut from the ledger. Einstein, it is declared also, kept $5,000 for his services in arranging the deal.

Further declarations in the presentments are that two City Clerks received $1,000 each, and that $1,750 was set apart for newspaper men, and that Henry M. Bolger, the saloon keeper already convicted of bribery, received $500 for his services in bringing about the meeting between officials of the German National Bank of Pittsburg and the Councilmen.

The public is urged not to pass hasty judgment on any official of the banks mentioned, and stress is laid on the solvency of the institutions.

It is stated that John F. Klein and Joseph C. Wasson, by reason of their confessions and statements making possible the exposure of the facts, are entitled to great consideration, and a reduction of Klein's sentence is urged. It is recommended also that no further indictments be found against Klein or Wasson for any of the crimes to which they have confessed.

The Grand Jury declares that it is convinced that Charles Stewart and William Brand can unravel the entire network of criminal work, and are in position to disclose the names of all guilty parties.

Indictments are recommended against Charles Stewart, William Brand, and Hugh Ferguson for conspiracy; against Stewart for soliciting bribes from the six banks; against Stewart for distributing portions of the money to several Councilmen; against Brand for soliciting a bribe from the Columbia National Bank, for having received bribe money directly or indirectly from Max G. Leslie, also for having received bribe money from other banks, and charging him with having distributed bribe money in various sums to various other members of Councils; against Hugh Ferguson for soliciting, demanding, and receiving money from banks to be used to obtain votes to get the city deposits for these institutions, and with distributing bribe money to other Councilmen.

A paragraph of the presentments that was added at the last moment declared that former Councilman Jacob Soffel refused the tender of $5,000, which was then set apart as a defense fund in case any of the members of the clique got within the grasp of the law.

Upon the receipt of the presentments Judge Josiah Cohen ordered the District Attorney immediately to draw the indictments against the men named and the others who are named in the presentment to whom the money was distributed. The Grand Jury was then excused until Monday. The only comment the District Attorney would make was:

"We expect pleas at any moment, and we may have to use 'rain checks' because of the rush."

New Phase on Leslie's Case.

To-day's findings of the Grand Jury put a new phase on the case of Max G. Leslie, who is now at Hot Springs. Leslie was acquitted on the charge of perjury recently in connection with the Columbia National Bank matter. He had denied to a Grand Jury that he had ever received any money in the deal, and convinced a jury when placed on trial that on the day he was alleged to have received the money he was in New York. The present Grand Jury finds that he paid $17,500 to Brand, and that the bank paid to Leslie $25,000 in June, 1908, but does not specify the date. Leslie, therefore, is in this position: One jury has declared that it believes him when he says that he did not get the money on June 6, 1908, and another jury declares that he did receive it in the month of June. It is declared that the evidence before the present Grand Jury shows a mistake was made in the first instance as to the date, and the transaction will be the basis of a new attack when Leslie again is brought to trial.

In order to make sure of obtaining a copy of to-morrow's Times, notable features of which are advertised elsewhere, place your order with your newsdealer early to-day.

TROUBLE ON CRUISER CAUSES AN INQUIRY

Admiral Dillingham Sent to the Salem Because of Charges of Cruelty to Men.

DUBBED EVANS'S MADHOUSE

Sign Found Painted on Side—Plans for Vessel Suddenly Changed to Permit Investigation.

NORFOLK, Va., March 25.—Serious trouble among the crew of the scout cruiser Salem has caused a sudden countermanding of orders to sail from this port and the beginning of an inquiry directed by the Navy Department. Rear Admiral A. C. Dillingham came from Washington and ran up his flag on the vessel to-day and will make the investigation. Charges of harsh and cruel treatment have been made by the men against their officers, especially Commander George R. Evans, who is in command. Recently the words "Evans's Mad House" were found one morning painted on the side of the vessel. Soon afterward a seaman who had been sentenced to five years' imprisonment leaped overboard.

The Salem was under orders to leave Hampton Roads within a week to make some backing tests in a nearby harbor, where this might be done without interference with merchant shipping, to show the efficiency of the turbine engine. Afterward she was to join her sister ship, the Birmingham, on a cruise to South American waters and the west coast of Africa. From those far-off points the two ships will conduct long-distance wireless telegraphy tests with Brant Rock, Mass., during the coming Summer. These tests are for the purpose of trying out wireless apparatus which it is proposed to adopt in connection with the navy's great high-power wireless station to be located near Washington.

These plans were upset temporarily, however, when officials at Washington were informed of the condition of insubordination on the ship. How long the investigation is likely to take cannot be learned from Admiral Dillingham.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Rear Admiral Dillingham is at Hampton Roads under orders from the Navy Department to investigate the cause of the unusual number of courts-martial held on board the cruiser Salem in the last few weeks.

It was reported that the sailors on the Salem had complained of the discipline of the commanding officer, Commander Evans, but at the Navy Department it is denied that any complaint had been made. There has been talk, however, that Commander Evans was applying the naval regulations with undue severity, and that a lack of tact had been shown in handling the men, who were punished for the most trivial offenses.

Summary courts-martial are entirely at the discretion of the commanding officer of a vessel. Since about the middle of last month the formal reports from the Salem have shown an unusual number of these trials, indicating that the ship was in some way "unhappy," and the department decided that it would be well to find out exactly where the trouble lay—whether with the discipline enforced by Commander Evans or in the temper of the men.

No word has yet been received from Admiral Dillingham, and it is understood here that he will submit no findings to the department until he returns and reports in person.

Commander George Robert Evans was, until a few months ago, the Recorder of the Board of Inspection and Survey in the Navy Department at Washington, when he was named to succeed Commander Albert L. Key as the commanding officer of the scout cruiser Salem. Capt. Key then became Chief of Staff of the Commander in Chief of the Atlantic fleet. Commander Evans was appointed to the Naval Academy, in 1881, from Vermont. He became a Commander in November, 1908. He is near the bottom of the list of commanders, and is still several years removed from a captaincy.

HAILSTONES LARGE AS EGGS.

British Ship Meets Heavy Storm in Gulf and Is Badly Damaged.

Special to The New York Times.

GALVESTON, Texas, March 25.—The British steamship Oriole, Capt. Gaines, master, in port here from Amsterdam with a cargo of creosote, had a narrow escape from being wrecked by a terrific hail storm in the Gulf about 208 miles west and south of Dry Tortugas on Tuesday afternoon. Hail storms in the Gulf are very unusual, and the hail stones rarely attain a large size, but in this storm the Oriole was bombarded for nearly an hour with hail measuring larger than hens' eggs.

The crew were driven from the deck and the vessel itself suffered by the heavy stones, damaging the woodwork, breaking all the glass, and almost demolishing the cabin on the upper deck. The funnels were badly dented, and the vessel had to slow down until the storm ceased.

The temperature dropped nearly to freezing for a few minutes, and the deck of the Oriole became coated with ice, which was hours melting.

An official report has been filed with the Weather Bureau.

The size of the hail stones is said to be the largest on record for a midocean storm.

DUMA TOLDS ITS DUTY.

New President Guchkoff Says Russian Executive Is Responsible to Czar Only.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 25.—Alexander J. Guchkoff assumed the Presidency of the Duma to-day. In reply to the persistent attacks on the Constitution and in outlining a programme of legislation he drew the same sharp distinction between constitutionalism and parliamentarism that Premier Stolypin has emphasized on several occasions.

The keynote of the speech is found in the following statement: "The peaceful development of Russia is possible under present conditions only under a constitutional, monarchical, but unparliamentary régime, based upon a popular representative body with wide legislative powers and the right of supervising the administration, and a strong executive responsible only to the monarch and not to political parties."

TAPPEN & PIERSON, Tailors to Gentlemen, 331 Fifth Avenue, N. Y.—Adv.

TAFT WON'T ATTEND SYRACUSE DINNER

Withdraws Acceptance, Feeling He Would Have to Answer Chancellor Day's Attack.

WOULD AVOID CONTROVERSY

University's Head, Who Acquired Notoriety by Defense of Standard Oil, Called President a Dictator.

SYRACUSE, March 25.—According to a report received here to-night from New York, President Taft has withdrawn his acceptance of an invitation to attend the annual dinner of the New York City Alumni in Syracuse University, to be held at the Hotel Brevoort next Wednesday evening. The announcement states that the President's change of front is due to the address which Chancellor James R. Day made at Pittsburg last week, in which he attacked the Administration.

Ward W. Damon of New York, President of the New York Alumni Association, is a personal friend of the President, and obtained his acceptance of the invitation several weeks ago. Now, it is said, President Taft feels that if he attended the banquet he would be obliged to make answer to the Chancellor's charges, and he does not wish to enter into a controversy.

Chancellor Day was asked about the matter to-night, and said he did not wish to make any comment except to state that he did not know that President Taft had been invited to the banquet. Guests of honor besides the Chancellor are to be Admiral Sigsbee and Thomas M. Osborne of Auburn.

Chancellor Day acquired a great deal of notoriety in the previous Administration by his defense of Standard Oil and other corporations which were under fire by President Roosevelt. In his recent Pittsburg speech he declared that the Constitution was being ignored and the President practically was a dictator.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—According to an official report from the White House to-night, nothing was known of an engagement of the President to address the New York Alumni of Syracuse University next Wednesday evening. There being no such engagement recorded, it was said, of course there had been no cancellation. President Taft himself could not be reached.

MRS. GAYLEY GETS DIVORCE.

Nevada Judge Decides That Itinerant Steel Man Established a Residence.

Special to The New York Times.

RENO, Nev., March 25.—Judge Orr this afternoon granted a decree to Mrs. Julia Gardner Gayley, divorcing her from James Gayley, former Vice President of the United States Steel Corporation, on the ground of desertion. He included in the decree alimony to the amount of $50,000 for Mrs. Gayley and counsel fees of $1,000.

In granting the decree Judge Orr stated that he did not believe that a residence in Nevada meant that a person should actually be in Reno, or some other point in Nevada, every day for six months, but that the person should be permitted to go away occasionally on business if the occasion demanded. He said that, although Mr. Gayley had been actually in Reno only twenty-four and a half weeks, he had come here more than a year ago, and was, therefore, a bona fide resident. This action of Judge Orr has been welcome news to persons in the divorce colony here, for they will be able to take occasional trips away from the State.

Gayley was in the courtroom when the decree was handed down, but Mrs. Gayley had gone to San Francisco with her daughters. She will leave immediately for New York.

FIRST WIFE SUES SUCCESSOR.

Mrs. H. G. Cole Wants $250,000 from ex-Mrs. Hunt for Alienation.

KANSAS CITY, March 25.—Mrs. Howard G. Cole, who was formerly Mrs. Jarvis Hunt, wife of a Chicago architect and for years a familiar figure in social circles and a horsewoman of National fame, was sued to-day for $250,000 damages here by Mrs. Hattie Dunwoody Cole of Chicago, the divorced wife of Howard G. Cole.

The suit was filed here because this is now the legal residence of Mrs. Cole No. 2. Following her unexpected marriage to Mr. Cole in Jacksonville, Fla., on Jan. 7 last, the couple came here to live. A month ago they left for Pensacola, Fla., on a visit.

When Mrs. Cole No. 1 obtained her divorce in Chicago on Nov. 10, 1909, it was with the provision that neither of the parties to the case should wed within two years. Following the marriage of Mrs. Hunt and Cole, Mrs. Cole No. 1 announced that if they returned to Chicago to reside she would institute suit against her ex-husband's new wife.

While the Coles lived here they did not mingle in society. They purchased a handsome home, and spent the greater part of their time there.

Mrs. Cole No. 2 was divorced from Jarvis Hunt in Wheaton, Ill., last October. Mrs. Cole received the custody of her two children, Jarvis J. and Louise.

Cole and his first wife were married Jan. 1, 1900. They had five children, who are now with their mother.

MRS. SAGE STARTS EAST.

Will Be Kept Ignorant of Mrs. Slocum's Death Until Journey Ends.

Special to The New York Times.

PASADENA, Cal., March 25.—Mrs. Russell Sage started back to New York this morning in good health, but not knowing of the sudden death of her niece, Mrs. H. J. Slocum, who was killed in the automobile accident at Washington Wednesday in which Major Gen. Bell was injured. Newspapers have been kept from her, and it is the plan of her companions to tell her nothing of the tragedy until she reaches her New York home, as the shock might prevent her from getting good effects from her trip.

Rumors that Mrs. Sage was ill in her cottage at Hotel Raymond proved without foundation. She spent some time yesterday afternoon as a spectator at the Pasadena tennis tournament, and just before dinner she received a visit from John Muir, the naturalist. Her private car was attached to an eastbound train this morning, and Mr. Charles Frederick Holder, author and naturalist, accompanied the party as far as the Grand Cañon. It is planned to stop there several days and then to continue directly to New York.

NO TAX ON KENNEDY ESTATE.

$21,000,000 of Personal Bequests Escapes for Charity's Sake.

Lawson Purdy, President of the Tax Commission, said yesterday that no tax would be collected by this city from the fifty-million-dollar estate of the late John S. Kennedy, banker and philanthropist.

Mr. Kennedy's bequests to charities amounted to $29,000,000. As bequests to charities are not taxable, and as $25,000,000 of the property left by him was in non-taxable securities, the Tax Commission has decided that the $21,000,000 of personal bequests should not be taxed.

MISSING LEODIANA ASHORE.

British India Steamer Reported Fast Off Mozambique Channel.

PORT LOUIS, Mauritius, March 25.—The British India Steamship Company's steamer Leodiana, which has been missing for some time, is reported to be ashore on one of the Cosmoledo Islands, at the northeast entrance of Mozambique Channel, in the Indian Ocean.

No details concerning the position of the vessel have been received.

CANADIAN TARIFF CONFERENCE

Visit of Minister Fielding to Taft Taken as Good Augury.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—W. S. Fielding, Minister of Finance of the Dominion of Canada, arrived in Washington to-day and was the guest of President Taft at dinner to-night. The arrival of Mr. Fielding has renewed the predictions that the tariff differences between the United States and Canada will be overcome at the approaching conference and the way cleared for a mutual understanding.

Only seven days remain under the Payne law in which the maximum and minimum provisions of the tariff may be observed. It is probable Minister Fielding will have a conference with the President to-morrow.

CIRCUS ACROBAT MAY DIE.

Has Developed a Punctured Lung and Other Internal Injuries.

Charles Thrall, the trapezist who fell from midair at the opening performance of the Barnum and Bailey Circus in Madison Square Garden on Thursday night, was in a critical condition in the New York Hospital last night, and it was feared that he might not live till morning.

The doctors have discovered that he has serious internal injuries in addition to two fractured wrists. One lung is punctured. Dr. Greble, physician and surgeon to the Barnum and Bailey troupe, is attending him in addition to the hospital doctors.

SILENCED BY BALDNESS.

The Rev. R. A. Hafer Catches Cold in the Pulpit, So He Resigns.

Because he has no hair on the top of his head, the Rev. R. A. Hafer has resigned from the pastorate of St. Trinitatis Evangelical Lutheran Church in Bowers Street, Jersey City. He says it causes him to catch a cold in the pulpit.

Pastor Hafer will preach his farewell sermon to-morrow, and after that will preach occasionally as a substitute in the Southern Conference of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of New York.

GIRL MISSING, YOUTH HELD.

Wolter Thought to Know the Whereabouts of Ruth Wheeler.

A young man who says he is Albert Wolter, a clerk, 18 years old, was arrested by Detectives from the East Sixty-seventh Street Police Station in the rooming house at 122 East 105th Street late last night charged with abduction. The police charge that Wolter knows something of the whereabouts of Ruth Wheeler, 17 years old, who has been missing from her home, the police say, since she left Thursday last to answer an advertisement for a stenographer.

According to the police, the girl's mother learned after she failed to return from a business school which she attended, at Fifty-eighth Street and Madison Avenue, that her daughter went to a house in East Seventy-fifth Street, after receiving a notification from Wolter, the police say, that he would see her there on her application for a place.

When her daughter failed to return Thursday night Mrs. Wheeler reported the case to the police.

TEACHERS IN CANOE UPSET.

Wind Capsized Boat in Which They Were Paddling in Lakewood.

Special to The New York Times.

LAKEWOOD, N. J., March 25.—Two well-known instructors in the De Witt Clinton High School, Joseph Low and Joseph Gollomb, who are spending their Easter vacation here, hired a canoe early this evening for a trip on Lake Carasaljo. A strong wind was blowing, and as neither man was experienced in the use of paddles the canoe became unmanageable.

A sudden gust of wind upset it, and the occupants were thrown into the water. They shouted for help, and some friends who were at the landing went to their rescue in a boat. The two men were soon brought ashore suffering somewhat from exposure.

AUTO HURLED DOWN MOUNTAIN.

Colorado Irrigation Manager Killed and Two Others Injured.

FORT COLLINS, Col., March 25.—Wellington Hibbard, general manager of the Laramie-Poudre Reservoir and Irrigation Company, was killed in an automobile accident near here to-day, when the automobile plunged over a mountainside.

A. S. Aiken, a civil engineer, suffered a broken leg and the chauffeur's arm was broken.

MISS CARNEGIE NOW 13.

She Celebrates Birthday by Endowing Children's Bed in Pasadena Hospital.

Special to The New York Times.

PASADENA, Cal., March 25.—Just before leaving yesterday with her father Miss Margaret Carnegie handed Mrs. George E. Hale a check for $5,000 to endow a free bed in the children's ward of the Pasadena Hospital. Yesterday was Miss Margaret's thirteenth birthday and she celebrated it in this manner.

Although the Carnegies were importuned hundreds of times in their nine days' stay in Pasadena for gifts, donations, and endowments, both by personal solicitation and by letter, the gift from Miss Carnegie is their only one, but it is rumored that Mr. Carnegie will give close consideration to two large gifts to institutions in Pasadena as soon as he returns home. One institution is the Troop Polytechnic and the other the Mount Wilson Observatory.

Your pen from your pocket cannot slip if you fasten it with a "Klymax Klip"—Stationers.—Adv.

FIRE WEAKENS NEW MANHATTAN BRIDGE

Steel Work and Cables, Warped and Twisted, May Have to Be Replaced—Damage $50,000.

ROCKEFELLER, JR., FIREMAN

In Charge of His Own Hose Company at Blaze on His Estate—9,600 Tons of Coal Burned.

The Brooklyn side of the new Manhattan Bridge was the scene yesterday afternoon of a spectacular fire—the second within a week—which so damaged the great structure that the repairs may cost as much as $50,000. The steel work was warped and twisted, and the suspension cables badly strained. All of the damaged parts may have to be replaced.

Only the railway, which is eventually to be used by Subway trains, when the underground roads have been completed, was affected by the flames, and the present travel on the huge span across the East River confined to vehicular traffic, will not be interfered with.

Thousands watched the fire from house and factory roofs, from the decks of river craft, and from the promenades of the Brooklyn and Williamsburg Bridges. The blaze extended along the path of the south railway for 500 feet, starting at a point 300 feet east of the Brooklyn tower and traveling westward.

After the fire Bridge Commissioner Kingsley L. Martin expressed the belief that a number of the cables would have to be replaced. He thought repairs would cost $25,000. The girders on which the sleepers for the railroad rails rested also were bent and warped, and the steel lattice work along the side of the roadway and horizontal bars on top of the guard rail were badly twisted. Such of the iron and steel work as will not have to be replaced must be scraped and repainted.

It is believed that the fire was caused by the dropping out of the bottom of the fireplace of one of the three tar tanks used by the men at work on the bridge. The hot coals ignited the sleepers which were treated with creosote. The ties burned freely and the flames quickly spread along the roadway where the inflammable stuff was exposed. Handcars on which were large sheet iron tanks full of hot tar in the area of the blaze caught fire and helped to extend the flames. Along the sides of the tracks were piles of sleepers ready to be put in place. These also were burned.

Was a Fine Spectacle.

Fed by the pitch and tar, the flames shot up in the air to a great height. Dense clouds of black smoke rolled upward and covered the water front along the Brooklyn shore. It was a fine spectacle for those who witnessed it, but a stubborn blaze for the firemen. The first alarm was sent from the fire box at Adams and Plymouth Streets, and before all the apparatus arrived another alarm was turned in, as the firemen realized then that the blaze would be a big one.

Deputy Fire Commissioner O'Keeffe sent some of the force to the Flatbush Avenue entrance of the bridge to tackle the fire from the roadway near the tower, as it was evident that to reach the flames from the street would be almost impossible. The fireboats' streams from the river fell short, and the high-pressure system from the street also failed to be effective. The firemen had to swing lines of hose from the roofs of neighboring warehouses to the roadway of the bridge to get at the flames.

Fought Flames Under Roadway.

On the river side of the Brooklyn tower workmen chopped away sleepers to prevent the flames from spreading further. Deputy Commissioner O'Keeffe and Deputy Fire Chief Lally, who directed the work of the firemen, ordered the men to cut holes about eight feet in diameter in the middle of the wagon way. Through these the firemen were lowered to the steel girders, from which they played streams of water on the flames. Crowds on the streets below cheered the dangerous work of the firemen perched on these girders. It took two hours' work to extinguish the fire.

J. Baxter, engineer in charge of the construction work, said that the roadbed for the Subway trains was almost completed when the fire occurred. As tar and concrete were being laid between the sleepers it was necessary to keep the fires burning under the tar in tanks, and these burning tanks greatly interfered with the work of the firemen.

Hope to Make Contractors Pay.

So much of the steel and iron work was warped that engineers familiar with such work seemed to think that Commissioner Martin's estimate of the damage was too low. They said it might be found to amount to nearer $50,000. Mr. Martin expressed the belief that the Barber Asphalt Company, which has the contract for the work on the railway, could be called upon to make good the damage and that the repairs would not be an expense on the city.

A red-hot rivet dropped into a pile of ties caused the first fire on the Manhattan Bridge last Saturday, which caused damage amounting to about $1,500.

Because of the two fires on this structure and the one which badly damaged the Williamsburg Bridge some years ago, fire brigades, having a high-pressure water service to put into use, may be placed on all the big bridges over the East River. Deputy Commissioner O'Keeffe said that the department would look into the advisability of such a plan.

ROCKEFELLER, JR., FIGHTS FIRE.

In Charge of His Own Hose Company at a Pocantico Hills Blaze.

Special to The New York Times.

TARRYTOWN, N. Y., March 25.—Fire in the woods on the estate of John D. Rockefeller gained such a headway this afternoon that the Rockefeller fire brigade, with jumper and hose, had to be rushed to the scene. It was followed by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and his wife in a carriage, who directed the men at their work. About twenty-five men were engaged in the fight, and it took several hours of hard work before Mr. Rockefeller decided that the blaze was out, and allowed the men to return home.

There were three fires on the estate to-day, and to-night all over Pocantico Hills there is a heavy cloud of smoke. The first fire occurred on the Rice farm this morning. This is in the Sleepy Hollow country. It was successfully fought and extinguished.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the woods

caught fire near the old Berkley Inn Hotel, and as a strong wind was blowing, it threatened to burn the place. The fire was so fierce that smoke came from it in volumes, and all the country in the valley below was cloaked in smoke, which reached as far as Hawthorne, three miles away.

This blaze was so dangerous that it was decided to call out the Rockefeller fire brigade. Mr. Rockefeller has two jumpers, with hose, on his estate for just such emergencies. The jumper was taken to the scene, and the water was obtained from the reservoir, the blaze was extinguished, and the men returned. It started a second time, and the firemen had to go there again.

This time Mr. and Mrs. Rockefeller drove over, and some of their guests followed in the automobiles. At 5 o'clock the fire was declared out in that section, and the Rockefeller party returned.

The woods north of the Pocantico Hills station are now burning, and also south of it, near the Rockefeller flower house. The railroad tracks prevented the blaze from jumping over to the main part of the estate. The fire in the woods north of the station is still burning, and men will be kept on guard to-night, to watch the flames and see that they do not reach the many houses in that section. There is a heavy wind blowing to-night.

Fire also started on the estate of Gen. Howard Carroll, and it was necessary to send to Tarrytown to get hose from the Hope Hose Company and rush it there in carriages. Gen. Carroll owns one of the handsomest residences on the Hudson. The woods were dry and the flames spread quickly and were not controlled until the Fire Department was called out.

LIVELY JERSEY CITY FIRE.

Coal Yard Blaze Endangers Railroad Cars.

A spectacular fire which called forth four alarms and a crowd of more than 50,000 persons and which for a time threatened to spread to hundreds of passenger coaches in the yards of the Jersey Central Railroad, destroyed ninety-six pockets, at Burns Brothers' coal yard at the foot of Johnson Street, Jersey City, last night. Two large wooden loading trestles, 150 feet long and 50 feet high, also were burned.

Each of the ninety-six pockets contained 100 tons of coal, but most of them were emptied in time to save the coal, which was dropped to a concrete flooring twenty feet below by an automatic device.

The fire, which started about 6 o'clock in a pocket at the west end of the larger of the two trestles, was swiftly spread by a strong north wind to the adjoining pockets. Four alarms were sent in simultaneously by passersby, bringing Fire Chief Conway and the entire Jersey City fire force. By that time the blaze had already caught the trestles high above the coal pockets, and was creeping up the woodwork to the steel cars hanging there. About twenty-five large double trucks stalled near the pockets also had been destroyed.

The firemen devoted their efforts to prevent the blaze from spreading to the company's offices and stables, at the east of the yard, or to the passenger coaches in the railroad yards surrounding it. Employes and firemen, with bags over their heads to shut out the dense smoke, led out 250 horses and dragged out 120 trucks of the coal company, while employes of the railroad switched out the stalled passenger coaches.

The railroad fire tugs Luzerne, Ithaca, and Mahanoy were sent to the entrance of the Morris Canal, 100 feet from the north of the larger trestle, to throw streams upon the near-by docks and cars. There were few fireplugs in the neighborhood, and the regular fire companies were hampered by the low water pressure, but after three hours the fire was under control and the remaining buildings saved. All the coal and both trestles, valued at $50,000 each, were destroyed.

FIRE CAUSES HOSPITAL PANIC.

Small Blaze Near a Brooklyn Institution Excites 100 Patients.

A small panic was started among the 100 patients of the Norwegian Hospital of Brooklyn last night by a fire in the top floor of a four-story dwelling adjoining, at 4,508 Fourth Avenue, caused by a tablecloth being blown by the wind over a lamp in the dining room of the home of Herman Bowers.

Drs. Gould, Hunter, Fisher, and Carr and the thirty nurses of the hospital calmed the patients, whose fears had been roused by the smoke and flames and the noise of the engines. The fire was confined to the room in which it had started, and was extinguished after it had done $500 damage.

Second Standard Oil Building Fire.

There was another basement fire in the fifteen-story Standard Oil Building at 26 Broadway, last night. Policeman Magnere of the John Street Station saw the smoke curling out of the transom of the basement door just before 10 o'clock, and, investigating, found the fire to be in a rear room occupied by Unz & Co., printers and stationers. A large stock of Easter goods and postal cards fed the flames, which started from some unknown cause. Unz & Co. occupy two rooms extending the full length of the building. The firemen worked half an hour before the fire was extinguished. The damage was put at $1,500.

TWELVE DEAD FOUND IN CHICAGO RUINS

Man and Woman Are Still Missing, but Tottering Walls Put End to Search.

SEVEN OF THE DEAD GIRLS

Trapped Upon the Sixth Floor, One Leaped to Her Death—Automatic Cigar Lighter Started Blaze.

CHICAGO, March 25.—With the bodies of twelve victims already taken from the ruins of the Fish Furniture Company's plant, at 1906-1908 Wabash Avenue, which was destroyed by fire this morning, further search for bodies was discontinued at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, owing to danger from tottering walls. While earlier estimates placed the number of victims, all of whom were trapped on the fourth and fifth floors of the building, as high as twenty, later and more thorough investigation indicates that there were but fourteen, with only two to be accounted for.

One of the twelve bodies has not been identified yet. Those who are known to be dead are:

ANDERSON, ETHEL, 18 years old; stenographer.
BELL, MINER W., advertising manager.
BRUCKE, ROSIE, 17; stenographer.
BURDEN, Mrs. HANNAH, forewoman folding department.
DARLINGTON, HARRY, painter.
GREEN, WILLIAM, clerk.
LICHTENSTEIN, ETHEL, 18; stenographer.
McGRATH, VERONICA, 17; stenographer.
MITCHELL, HARRY M., auditor of company, member of firm, brother-in-law of Simon Fish.
QUINN, GERTRUDE, 20; folder.
SULLIVAN, LILLIAN, 16; folder.

The two still missing are:

ST. CLAIR, BERT, confidential clerk.
WARGO, MARY, 20; folder.

His Fiancee Among the Dead.

The identification of the victims was accompanied by heartrending scenes. Florence Sullivan identified her sister, Lillian, by a shoe taken from one of the bodies, which she recognized as one that had been worn by her sister. Florence, who is 18 years old and a switchboard operator, was to have gone to work for the furniture company at noon, taking the place of another girl.

Alexander Bush, a street car conductor, who identified Rose Brucke, was to have married her on Easter Sunday. He recognized her through a number of trinkets, including an engagement ring, which he had given to her.

Leo Stoeckel, a clerk, apparently started the fire accidentally. He told his story to Fire Attorney Frank Hogan this afternoon. Although Stoeckel is admittedly more unfortunate than culpable, Hogan says he will bring some charge against the young man to insure his attendance at the inquest. This was set for April 2. A Coroner's jury was impaneled this afternoon and viewed the bodies in the morgue.

Stoeckel was brought before the Fire Attorney with his hand, which had been burned, swathed in bandages. He appeared heartbroken.

"About 8:45 o'clock this morning," said he, "Mr. Mitchell, who was a member of the firm, gave me three pocket cigar lighters and told me to go to the finishing room on the fourth floor and fill them with benzine. I had filled two of the lighters out of the five-gallon can and was working on the third when there was an explosion.

"A sheet of flame almost blinded me. I did not regain my senses fully until I had reached the street. The lighters contained a contrivance to make a spark, but whether I ignited one of them or not I don't know. I either dropped the can of benzine when the flame shot up in front of me, or it was blown out of my hands."

Says Firemen Interfered.

The fire called forth severe criticism of the conduct and efficiency of the Fire Department from Simon Fish, a member of the furniture company. He declared that the firemen were slow in responding to the alarm and tardy in raising ladders to the upper stories. He asserted that firemen interfered with employes of the firm who were attempting to make rescues, and declared he would prefer charges against the Fire Department.

Fire Marshal Horan retorted, when the charges were repeated to him, that his [illegible] a second, and he said he believed Mr. Fish would withdraw his charges after becoming calmer.

The Marshal, too, had criticisms to make. He declared that the single fire escape with which the building was equipped barely came within the requirements of the law. The escape was of the ladder variety. The Fire Chief expressed the opinion that, had this been a modern stair escape, no lives would have been lost.

Firemen poured water on the building for two hours and a half before the flames were subdued sufficiently so that a search for bodies might be made.

The heat made the work of removing the wreckage difficult, but half an hour's search resulted in the recovery of three bodies.

Three Died, Kneeling in Prayer.

They were found together in one corner of the wrecked building. Their position showed that they had been in an attitude of prayer when death came.

By 12:30 o'clock seven bodies had been recovered, and an hour later four more had been brought out. The twelfth was found soon afterward.

Chief Building Inspector Short was responsible for the cessation of the search. He found that three of the walls were in such condition that they might tumble in and entomb the searchers at any moment. Should they be standing to-morrow morning, he said, the search might be resumed.

Some forty-odd men and women escaped from the building, and these, powerless because of the rapid spread of the fire to aid their fellows still in the building, were compelled to watch from the street frantic inmates of the building, who appeared white faced at the windows, shrieking in terror or pleading for help that could not be given.

Crowd Sees a Girl Jump.

Ten women and girls were at work on the sixth floor when the explosion occurred. The spread of the flames was almost instantaneous, and when the girls rushed to the stairways they found escape cut off. They next turned to the front of the building, smashing out the windows.

Horrified spectators in the street saw Miss Lichtenstein step to the window ledge and heard her scream for help. Then she jumped. She fell on the awning over the front entrance to the store, where she lay unconscious until Dr. William I. Kinsley, crawling out on the canopy, lifted her up. She was taken at once to St. Luke's Hospital, only a few blocks away, but died soon afterward.

Then the spectators heard a tremendous crash. It was the noise of falling floors, and when the sound died away the terrified faces at the windows had disappeared.

BAD FIRES NEAR BOSTON.

Towns on North Shore Badly Damaged When Gale Drives Flames.

BOSTON, March 25.—Three fires, driven by a strong gale, caused much damage in North Shore districts to-day. Essex, Hamilton, and Revere suffered losses estimated at $200,000.

In the Franklin Park district of Revere seven houses were wholly or partly burned. Eight large filled icehouses were destroyed at Lake Chebacco, near Essex Centre, and in order to save their homes all the villagers had to turn out to fight the flames. From the icehouses the fire spread through two miles of woodland and was barely checked at the edge of the village.

In South Hamilton the flames swept over an area three-quarters of a mile square, leveling twenty-one buildings, eight of them residences. The district bounded by Mill, Ashley, Willow, and Main Streets, only a few hundred yards from the centre of South Hamilton, to-night is a heap of ruins. One hundred and fifty persons are homeless. The gale spread the flames so quickly from house to house that the occupants had barely time to flee. Practically nothing was saved. Most of the buildings burned carried some insurance, but the aggregate may not amount to over $50,000. None of the burned buildings belonged to Summer residents.

FIREBUGS PUT LIVES IN PERIL.

Wecker Suspects the Ice Cream Trust, Which He Wouldn't Join.

More than thirty men, women, and children were helped out of the five-story tenement house at 18 and 20 Jackson Street by firemen and policemen early yesterday morning when fire was discovered in a stable on the ground floor. The flames were confined to where they originated and did little damage.

It is the belief of the police that the fire was started by the enemies of Henry Wecker of 41 Jackson Street, an independent ice cream manufacturer, who said that since he refused to join the so-called ice cream trust on the east side he has suffered much injury. He was always on watch, and while he was away for a short while yesterday the blaze started and traces of kerosene oil were found by the firemen.

The building is five stories. There were twenty horses in the stable beneath. Wecker stated that he had been asked to join the trust and he refused. Three of his horses were poisoned the first part of the month. He has slept in the stable for two weeks, and yesterday morning he left the stable at 4 o'clock and went home, because his wife was not feeling well.

Half an hour later the stable was ablaze.

ROOSEVELT INSPECTS TOMBS OF THE BULLS

Ex-President Goes Camel Back Across Desert and Enters Burial Vault of Apis.

SEES ANIMALS HE HAS MET

Pictured on Temple Walls, They Are Extinct in Egypt—Meets Ambassador Straus and Moving-Picture Man.

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CAIRO, Egypt, March 25.—Theodore Roosevelt considers this the final day of his sightseeing among the antiquities, in some respects the most remarkable of his trip. It gave him, he says, a remarkable appreciation of the sweep of the ages.

The tombs at Sakkara, 5,000 years old, continue to the present the records of a civilization existing when the Greeks, Romans, and Israelites were savage tribes. Then, to cross the desert on a camel and be entertained on the Nile at a luncheon served as delightfully as in any Occidental city offered a striking contrast in the life of the human race.

Mr. Roosevelt has been impressed by many antiquities, but those which will remain especially in his memory are the tombs of the Kings at Luxor and Carnak and the Sphinx seen by moonlight.

It is easy to see that while interested profoundly in the monuments of the past, he really is most deeply appealed to by present political, social, and economic conditions. An instance of this was seen in one of the tombs. A beautifully engraved story on a wall showed a court of law, with a native undergoing a beating by officers of justice to induce him to testify.

Touches on Tammany Hall.

"The worst corruption of Tammany Hall," said Col. Roosevelt, "was nothing compared to the corruption and tyranny recorded as a matter of course in these hieroglyphics."

But when one of the correspondents suggested that perhaps the Pinchot investigation committee might want to adopt this method to extort testimony favorable to Secretary Ballinger, Mr. Roosevelt merely smiled and turned the conversation upon another picture.

Col. Roosevelt was particularly interested in the exploration of the tombs of Apis, the sacred bull of the god Ptah, which lie in Stygian darkness below the desert temple of Amenophis.

The vast necropolis of Sakkara, six miles in extent, was once covered with temples of huge proportions and superb decorations, but the immensity of the magnificence availed nothing against the assault of time. They have crumbled and merged into the sand of the desert, leaving only the giant Pyramids as monuments of the wonderful architecture of the past. And these Pyramids, once ornate and beautiful as well as impressive, have now taken on the mournful color of the yellow sand which for centuries has rolled against them—that color relieved in the distance by the green crowns of the date trees along the Nile.

Col. Roosevelt arose early in the morning, and after breakfast received a messenger, who brought the compliments of the Khédive and placed at his disposal a special camel corps. The animals were of the best Bisharin breed, and there was an accompanying guard of mounted soldiers in sand-colored uniforms, with cartridge belts over their shoulders and rifles pendant from their saddles.

Colonel Goes Camelback.

Col. Roosevelt and Kermit mounted camels, while Mrs. Roosevelt and her daughter were assisted into a sandcart with broad tires. Preceded by two soldiers on Arabian horses and followed by the camel corps the party proceeded to the necropolis.

The sky was unlike that hitherto seen. Clouds were scurrying across the heavens and a light wind made the journey comfortable.

Soon the Sphinx, which had been seen last night in the more attractive light of the moon, faded from sight, and the Pyramids of Gizeh were alone outstanding in the immense nothingness of sand. Arriving at the tombs of Apis, the party was met by Mr. Watson, the Government Egyptologist, and a moving picture machine, which was immediately set in motion by the operator, who then and there filled many yards of film.

Descending through the narrow sloping passage cut in the sand Col. Roosevelt entered the doorway, from which came hot air as from a furnace. Across the threshold he plunged into the darkness and silence of the dead. Each member of the party was furnished with a spluttering candle and conducted through the narrow corridors over flagstones, around fallen débris, past a huge block of granite for an intended sepulchre which had been left unused.

Coming to the caverns and walls, the guides lowered candles to show the sarcophagi, within which had been interred the sacred bulls, covered with armored plates of gold. Col. Roosevelt entered one of these vaults. He descended the ladder and peered into the black interior. The enormous labor involved may be appreciated when it is understood that the coffins are twelve feet in length, ten in height, and weigh between sixty and seventy tons. Col. Roosevelt was greatly impressed with the engineering ability of the people who brought these monster blocks to the cave and conveyed them along the narrow corridors to their final resting place.

Natural History Observations.

The party left the darkness and emerged once more into the light of day. The members of the party were met at the entrance by Oscar S. Straus, Ambassador at Constantinople, and Mrs. Straus, Consul General Iddings and Miss Iddings, and a number of correspondents. All proceeded to the temple but a short distance away. Col. Roosevelt declined to remount his camel, saying that he preferred to walk. He made the Egyptologist Watson scramble to keep up with him in the yielding sand. This temple presents probably the best record of Egypt's early art, showing the various occupations and the dress of the inhabitants of the period it represents.

Col. Roosevelt pointed out animals he had seen in equatorial Africa among those depicted on the walls—animals which are now extinct in Northern Africa.

"I don't know what benefit an American politician will receive from this sightseeing," he observed, "but I know it gives me a great deal of enjoyment."

His attention was called to the figures of men stuffing geese and swan. "But that isn't all," said Mr. Watson. "The early Egyptians also stuffed hyenas for food."

Col. Roosevelt immediately became interested.

"They ate hyenas?" he asked. He was shown an ancient picture on the wall showing the hyena being stuffed.

"How astonishing!" he commented.

On leaving the temple the party stopped for a moment for a draught of water at the home of Egyptologist Watson, and then started for the Nile, nine miles away, passing over the edge of the desert into a grove of date trees whose crowns gently waved in the breeze. The fields were green. Herds were grazing peacefully.

"It is a real pastoral scene," observed Col. Roosevelt.

Lunch on Nile Houseboat.

On arriving at a canal nearer the Nile the party was ferried over in a felucca, and then on foot continued to the river, where a launch was boarded which conveyed the party to a dahabiyah, a Nile houseboat, over which an American flag was flying. There the party was received by Wyssa Bey, an Egyptian Copt, and his wife, who were educated in American mission schools. The former had been in America. The deck was protected with an awning of Oriental stuffs, and an American flag was draped over the entrance. While a course luncheon was served the boat was towed down the Nile to Cairo, where the party landed, Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Roosevelt returning to the hotel and the Colonel and Kermit going to the Zoological Gardens, where they were deeply interested in looking at the African animals. They were conducted through the garden by Capt. Flower, a Director of the garden, who is a great authority on faunal collections, and Sir William Garstin. To-night the Roosevelt family dined with Sir Eldon Gorst, the British Agent and Consul General, meeting a number of distinguished guests.

Prince Eitel Frederick, son of the Kaiser, was among the arrivals in Cairo to-day. Wu Ting-Fang, former Minister to the United States, who is on his way home, has also arrived, and is anticipating a wonderful meeting with the hunter naturalist.

Three hundred Americans signed a petition to-day to Col. Roosevelt asking for a reception. He will receive them to-morrow. Col. Roosevelt regrets that Seth Bullock cannot meet him in London, as he promised. He said he would have liked to present Bullock to his English friends as a type of the Western American. Mrs. Straus, wife of the Ambassador, was presented to the Khédiva to-day. She wore on this occasion a gown of violet crêpe de chine and a violet velvet coat, with a picture hat bearing a single plume.

Col. Roosevelt's programme to-morrow includes a visit to Ashar University. He will attend the Easter service in the American Church Sunday, and afterward take dinner with the Sirdar. Monday Col. Roosevelt will give a lecture at the Egyptian University.

LOWELL TALKS OF MARTIANS.

Declares in London They Are Not Human Beings, Though Intelligent.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

LONDON, March 25.—The interest taken here in Percival Lowell's theories about the planet Mars is indicated by the fact that at 2 o'clock this morning, on the arrival of the Prinz Friedrich Wilhelm at Plymouth, reporters met the Flagstaff astronomer with eager questions about the Martians and their world, as he interprets it. The Daily Mail to-morrow will print an unusually long story, mainly descriptive of Lowell and his investigations.

Prof. Lowell gave no interview in the ordinary sense of the word, but of the Martians he had this to say:

"They are not human beings. The comparative size and the conditions, every known factor in the planet, point to something very different. They are intelligent organisms, but not in the least like men."

In reply to the question, "Does Mars foretell the end of our own earth?" Prof. Lowell said with grim assurance:

"All planets must come to an end some day. The world is larger than Mars and its water may last longer. Mars is now dying of lack of water; Venus, with one side always to the sun and the other in perpetual cold and night, is dying of paralysis. What the end of the world will be who dare foretell?"

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river of lava which threatens desolation to the districts. Plants, trees, whole vineyards and orchards have already been destroyed by the consuming flood, which this morning had extended nine miles from its source.

Thousands in the path of this lava stream had abandoned their homes at daylight, and several houses of peasants have already been destroyed. Caravans of peasants carrying all their household goods and all of their transportable possessions were moving to places of safety all day.

During the past forty-eight hours the emission of lava, it is estimated, has amounted to 10,000,000 cubic yards.

ROME, March 25.—King Victor Emmanuel to-day expressed his intention to go into the territory threatened by the volcanic eruptions in the vicinity of Mount Etna to direct the work of succor, encourage and share the danger of his subjects, if the gravity of the eruptions continued.

Premier Sonnino, who is still acting pending the choice of his successor in office, to-day instructed the Prefect of Police of Catania to use all the means in his power to afford aid to the people suffering by reason of the eruptions. At the same time the Ministry of War ordered troops sent to the scene to assist the Mayors of the villages in maintaining order and saving property.

The city is crowded unprecedentedly with visitors. More than 60,000 tourists, including a large number of Americans, are here for Holy Week. To-day many of these started south to witness the eruptions.

LAYS HEART DISEASE TO COAL TAR 'CURES'

A Large Percentage of Cases in This Country Are Due to Them, Dr. Darlington Says.

DENOUNCES PATENT DRUGS

Tells Mass Meeting of Drug Clerks They Hasten End of Consumptives—Pharmacists Plan to Organize.

Dr. Thomas F. Darlington, ex-Commissioner of Health, told a mass meeting of the drug clerks of New York, held under the auspices of the National Pharmaceutical Society, in the New York College of Pharmacy, 115 West Sixty-eighth Street, last night, that a large percentage of the diseases of the heart in this country were due to the excessive use of the so-called coal tar products. He also declared that an equally large percentage of tuberculosis cases terminated fatally because the sufferer used patent medicines instead of consulting, in time, a reputable physician.

The meeting last night was to organize the registered pharmacists and drug clerks in New York. The objects of the proposed organization will be fourfold—namely, the protection of the clerks themselves, the protection of the public, the prevention of substitution, and the prevention of the sale of impure drugs.

There seems no doubt that the object of the meeting will be realized and that in the very near future the organization will be officially started and headquarters opened, from which its affairs will be directed. It was said that the new organization will not be a labor union, in the general acceptance of that term, but more in the order of a society for the benefit of the clerks and everybody else who does business with drug stores.

There is already a law against substitution and the sale of impure drugs, and one of the first things the new organization proposes undertaking is to see that this law is enforced to the letter. It will also make an effort to have every prescription mixer in the City of New York a registered pharmacist. At the present time it was said there were many men filling prescriptions in this city who were not registered. Many of these unregistered pharmacists, it was added, are actually in charge of drug stores.

The meeting was addressed by a number of well-known physicians, and some of the best-known pharmacists in the city. Among them, in addition to Dr. Darlington, were Coroner's Physician Dr. Philip O'Hanlon, Dr. George C. Dieckman, the acting dean of the New York College of Pharmacy; Dr. William C. Anderson, dean of the Brooklyn College of Pharmacy; Dr. Joseph Weinstein, Secretary of the State Board of Pharmacy; Peter Diamond, President of the Retail Druggists' Association, and George Hitchcock, Vice President of the Manhattan Pharmacists' Society.

Dr. Darlington, who made the principal speech, said that the pharmacists are suffering from sins committed in the past, sins that would not have been committed had the laws governing pharmacy been enforced. Dr. Darlington said that reputable physicians experienced trouble sometimes because their prescriptions did not have the effect on their patients that they had expected. An analysis often proved, he said, that the medicine given the sick man contained less than 50 per cent. of what the doctor had actually prescribed, and this was why it did not do the work expected.

Dr. Darlington said that the provision in the Sanitary Code forbidding the sale of carbolic acid, except under the most rigid regulations, was an absolute necessity, and cited in support of it that in the year (1906) following the adoption of the provision the number of suicides from carbolic acid in this city dropped from 343 to 36 persons.

"The day of patent medicines," said Dr. Darlington, "is passing. More persons die of consumption as a result of taking these patent medicines than from any other cause, for they take the compounds instead of consulting a good doctor, who would tell them what to do to escape the inevitable end of tuberculosis when people put their trust in patent medicines."

Dr. Dieckman, Dr. Anderson, and the other speakers, like Dr. Darlington, said they approved of the proposed organization and saw in it nothing but good for everybody concerned.

NEW FRENCH TARIFF ADOPTED

Senate Concurs with Deputies—American Agreement Favorably Reported.

PARIS, March 25.—The Senate, by a vote of 281 to 5, to-day concurred with the Chamber of Deputies in the adoption of the bill revising the tariff.

Baron d'Estournelles de Constant and others introduced a resolution requesting the Government to collaborate with foreign nations in the creation of arbitral commissions empowered to settle international tariff disputes.

In the Chamber of Deputies to-day the Tariff Commission, to which it had been referred, recommended the adoption of the bill legalizing the French side of the Franco-American tariff agreement. The measure will be taken up for action by the Chamber next Tuesday.

KAISER LENDS A PICTURE.

American Painting Owned by Him Hung at American Art Exhibition.

BERLIN, March 25.—In order to show his appreciation of the American Art Exhibition, which he visited yesterday, the Kaiser has lent one of his own American pictures, H. F. Farny's "The Bear Hunt." The picture was hung in the galleries at the Royal Academy of Arts to-day.

Ito's Assassin Executed.

HARBIN, Manchuria, March 25.—Inchan Angan, the Korean who assassinated Prince Ito, former Japanese Resident General of Korea, in this city on Oct. 26 last, was executed at Port Arthur this morning.

$1,000 Damages for Push on a Car.

Mrs. Simon R. Grewney, of Newark, obtained a verdict and award of $1,000 damages judgment for an assault by a trolley car conductor last August. Her husband, who also sued the Public Service Corporation, received a judgment of $250. Mrs. Grewney had given her seat to a man carrying two little children and was thrown back against the door by a sudden jerk of the car.

Accused of Dodging Butterine Tax.

Adam Trimborn and Frank G. Pearsons yesterday were indicted by the United States Grand Jury by Commissioner Lindsay Rowe of Jersey City on a charge of having put coloring matter into butterine and avoiding the tax [illegible]. Pearsons is President of the Hudson County Butterine Company, [illegible] Street, Hoboken. Trimborn was employed by him as a mixer.

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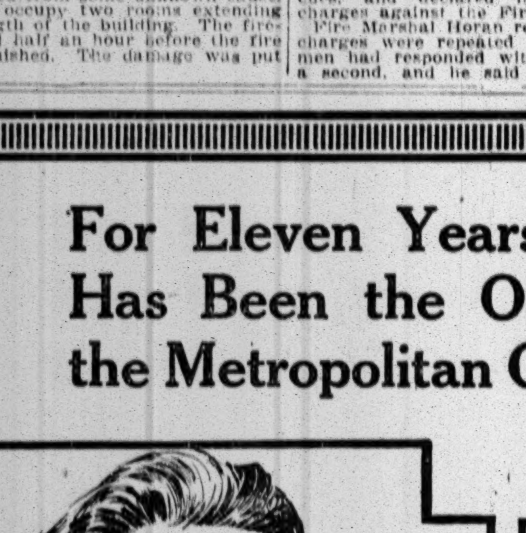

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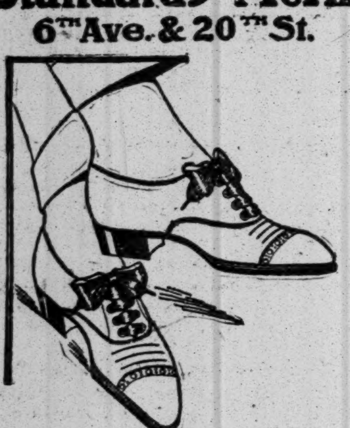

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"YELLOW PUP" FUND PUT AT $500,000

Nearly Half Traced Now, and Knowing Ones Say Hotchkiss Will Uncover the Balance.

JUDGE McCALL STILL SILENT

Friends Expect He'll Explain $35,000 Check Indorsed in Buckley's Name for His Own Account.

Those best informed about Supt. Hotchkiss's fire insurance investigation, which is to be continued on Monday, say that the amount included in the "yellow pup" fund for influencing legislation at Albany, will be at least twice as large as the evidence has thus far indicated.

It is said, in fact, that the total will approach $500,000 for the years from 1901 to 1906. Of this sum, $200,000 has already been accounted for in the aggregate of small fees for bill killing admitted in the testimony of William H. Buckley, the insurance lobbyist, mentioned in the correspondence of George P. Sheldon, the late President of the Phenix Fire Insurance Company, who was supposed to represent other New York companies as wall as his own in legislative matters.

The Supreme Court was not in session yesterday, and Supreme Court Justice McCall did not happen to meet friends of his who are anxious to have him explain away the Buckley testimony that he signed Buckley's name on the back of a $35,000 check from the Phenix Company, and then deposited this check to his own account in the New York Security and Trust Company.

Justice McCall still declines to make any public statement, and all that Supt. Hotchkiss will say is that he is waiting to hear that Justice McCall is ready to take the stand of his own volition.

Process servers said yesterday that they had no subpoena for Justice McCall and did not expect to receive one. Assistants in Superintendent Hotchkiss's office said that they felt confident that the issuance of an invitation to Justice McCall to become a voluntary witness was as far as the Superintendent cared to go.

In case Justice McCall does decide to appear as a witness it is said that the legislative doings of the Munich company during the three years he was its attorney will be looked into in detail.

The first business in investigation when it again gets under way will be to further jog the memory of William H. Buckley. It was pointed out yesterday as curious, if not significant, that the big fees shown to have been paid to legislative lawyers varied with the years in fair proportion to the extent of fire insurance measures at Albany.

In 1904, the year the Grady bill was up, Buckley received $28,500, while Sheldon collected $15,000 for unspecified purposes, and there was distributed among minor legislative specialists $10,350.

These sums are regarded here now as trifling compared to what are expected to show up as the inquiry continues. In some cases only the sums raised by the foreign companies are known, and it is said that the fees from the local companies were more.

The amounts paid to the various lawyers connected with the legislative programme of the insurance men, as indicated in the testimony at the close of the first week, are:

To Buckley, in 1903, $12,000; in 1904, $28,500, and $5,000 for each year since then as a general retainer.

To Sheldon, from insurance companies for use in 1904, $15,000.

To Kennedy, in 1901, $13,811.

To Davies, Stone & Auerbach, in 1901, $10,000; in 1902, $10,000; in 1903, $42,000; in 1904, $350, and in 1905, $350.

To Curtis, Mallet-Provost & Colt, in 1901, $3,500; in 1902, $750, and in 1903, $750.

To Sherman & Serling, in 1905, $17,500; in 1906, $15,000.

To Richards & Heald, in 1905, $750.

To Earnest Rhoades for services in Washington in connection with the repeal of the stamp tax of 1908, $10,000.

To miscellaneous law firms from 1901 to 1906 inclusive, $10,000.

It is expected that the names of former members of the Legislature, both Democrats and Republicans, will figure in the testimony the coming week, and one name prominently mentioned is that of a politician standing high in the councils of Tammany Hall, who was in the Legislature during the session of 1907 and 1908.

The mail of the Insurance Department has been flooded since the sensational nature of the disclosures became known with anonymous notes giving what are called "straight tips" on good evidence.

Men from the Superintendent's office have investigated some of these tips and found that they were of real value. It is supposed that they have originated among antagonists of certain politicians.

Supt. Hotchkiss will remain in Albany until Monday morning going over portions of the testimony so far brought out.

BUCKLEY'S BANK ACCOUNT NEXT

Mr. Hotchkiss Will Ask Lobbyist About It—More Sheldon Letters.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., March 25.—Superintendent Hotchkiss of the State Insurance Department returned to Albany to-day. He had a talk with Gov. Hughes, who was informed as to the progress the Superintendent made in his investigation in New York this week of the uses of fire insurance funds in legislation here.

"The main object of the investigation," Mr. Hotchkiss said, "is to demonstrate the methods employed and the amounts expended in accelerating or retarding legislation. As I view it the people have a right to know whether their representatives represent them for financial consideration, and when the facts indicate representation of such character the people should have the facts, no matter who is hit or what party is injured.

"To this end we are following every lead, and, in fact, invite and welcome suggestions. When the investigation is concluded the result will undoubtedly be laid before the proper authorities."

When W. H. Buckley, the Albany legislative agent, returns to the witness stand Monday it is expected Mr. Hitchkiss will be prepared to ask more about Buckley's bank account. Mr. Hotchkiss gave the impression that he had many more letters from George P. Sheldon and others, which will give him opportunity to ask more questions concerning efforts made to influence the legislators.

Mr. Hotchkiss to-day was informed that E. A. Brown of Middletown would be prepared to be sworn Monday instead of Tuesday, the day fixed in his subpoena. Mr. Brown will be asked concerning the testimony of President George F. Seward of a fidelity and casualty company, who testified that a man named Brown at Sing Sing had informed him several years ago that "Big Tim" Sullivan would see that a certain bill affecting his company was killed providing that $10,000 was forthcoming. Mr. Brown was purchasing agent at Sing Sing Prison at the time.

PAPER STRIKE NOT GAINING.

Mills Kept Running by Strikebreakers or Men Who Won't Come Out.

FRANKLIN, N. H., March 25.—With the exception of one small pulp mill, all the plants of the International Paper Company were kept in operation to-day in spite of the strike of members of the Pulp, Sulphite and Paper Mill Workers' Union, which began last night. The paper machine tenders, who belong to a separate union, refused to join the strike, and at a meeting held late to-day reaffirmed their decision.

LIVERMORE FALLS, Me., March 25.—It was expected that another paper machine at the mills of the International Company here would be put into operation to-day, following the arrival of several strikebreakers yesterday. No trouble was experienced when the day men went to work this morning. The guard at the mills has been slightly increased.

RUMFORD FALLS, Me., March 25.—There were no indications of any strike in the International Paper Company's plant here to-day. Attempts to organize the employes of the mills were still being carried on by George J. Schneider, Vice President of the International Brotherhood of Paper Workers, and his associates, but the attitude of the men who have joined the union appeared to be that they were satisfied to remain at work for the present.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., March 25.—Sixty strikebreakers have been imported for work in the Watertown division of the International Paper Company. One machine is being operated at the mill at Glen Park, and Supt. Hazel states that all will be in operation to-morrow. The firemen in the four mills have struck, and strikebreakers are employed in their places. The ground wood pulp mill at No. 4 is turning out its full capacity of thirty-five tons of paper a day.

SANITOL STOCKHOLDERS WIN.

Their Case Against Luyties Ends in Judgment for $722,060 Against Him.

Special to The New York Times.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 25.—Judge Williams, in the Circuit Court, handed down a decision in favor of the stockholders of the Sanitol Chemical Laboratory Company against Herman C. G. Luyties, former President of that corporation. The judgment given amounts to $722,060.

The allegation that Luyties raised his own salary from $6,000 to $25,000 per year, while his services were no more valuable, was held by the Judge to be true, as well as the allegation that he made false statements to the Secretary of State in regard to the increase of capital stock. Judge Williams said:

"The evidence shows a ruthless scuttling of the assets of the corporation by one who held a position of trust similar to guardian and ward. He seems to have regarded himself as the corporation."

Luyties resigned as President of the company last December, one day before suit was filed against him. It was alleged by the stockholders that with the increase of the capital stock from $500,000 to $1,000,000, a certificate was made stating that 50 per cent of the increase had been paid in lawful money, and also that Luyties had caused to be issued to himself $200,000 as full payment for certain formulae, which were of no value. The stockholders declared these to be fraudulent claims.

Most of the twenty-eight plaintiffs in the case are out-of-town druggists, who hold 1,396 shares in Sanitol stock, out of a capitalization of $3,000,000.

The Court found that Luyties received $695,000 worth of stock between December 1, 1903, and April, 1907, and that he returned nothing of value for it. Luyties will appeal.

GET THIEF BY ADVERTISING.

Detective's Ruse Brings to Light Man Who Robbed Stores.

Charles Ludwig Von Ahner, who gives his address as 26 Bowery, this city, and confesses to many robberies, was captured by the Jersey City police yesterday through an advertisement inserted in a German newspaper of this city by Sergt. Richard Bamersby. He was arrested in the confectionery store of William Bassett at Grove and Wayne Streets by Detective Sergeant Lyons. He went there in response to an advertisement for a "sober German candymaker."

Bassett did not want a candymaker, but allowed the police to use his name and address in carrying out their plan. A few days ago it was learned that a man answering the description of Von Ahner and who had robbed candy dealers was looking for a job in Jersey City and Sergt. Bamersby conceived the plan of advertising for a candymaker.

CITY DEBT BILL IN ALBANY.

Proposes to Exclude Items from Debt Limit by Court Approval.

Corporation Counsel Watson's bill to help the city increase the amount of funds which can be spent for public improvements under Section 10, Article VIII, of the Constitution, will be introduced in the Legislature on Monday. The bill has been approved by the Mayor and city heads.

It provides that when the city desires to have a certain debt excluded from the city's debt limit the Board of Estimate shall prepare a statement giving facts and figures in justification of it. The board can then apply to the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court for an order determining how much of the debt shall be excluded. The order can be changed or vacated on subsequent application.

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All Employes on Eastern Lines Ask Companies for Conferences—New York Central's Answer Ready.

Employes of the Eastern railroads have made ready to ask for readjustments of their wage schedules this Spring, and some of them have already won points in their favor. It was announced yesterday from the office of the Lehigh Valley Railroad that it had closed an agreement with its firemen covering one year, the agreement giving the employes a ten-hour day in place of a twelve-hour day, with some minor readjustments. The Lehigh Valley has recently closed similar agreements both with its engineers and conductors.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, it was learned yesterday, have decided to ask for readjustment of wages on all the Eastern roads, and have asked the companies for conferences. Seventeen men, constituting the committee representing the Erie engineers, arrived in the city yesterday, and had a preliminary conference with General Manager Stuart. This committee represents 1,500 engineers. Chairman H. A. Kelly would not say what the engineers would request of the Erie, but that the readjustment asked provides for a wage increase.

"We are presenting requests, not demands," he went on, "because we know that the company is disposed to treat us fairly."

It was announced yesterday at the offices of Vice President A. H. Smith, General Operating Manager of the New York Central Railroad between New York City and Buffalo, that no reply to the request of the trainmen, conductors, and engineers for additional pay would be made yesterday, but that representatives of the employes would probably be called to the Grand Central on Monday to listen to a proposal to be made by the officials. The advances asked for by the employes range from 10 to 50 per cent., according to the work performed, and affects 5,800 employes, scattered over 3,700 miles of trackage.

P. E. Crowley, Assistant General Manager of the New York Central, said yesterday that the proposal to be made by the railway officials may be ready this afternoon.

INSIST ON EIGHT-HOUR DAY.

Pilots Deliver an Ultimatum to Tugboat Owners.

Trouble is threatened, according to the officers of the Masters and Pilots' Association, if, before the end of the month, the demands of the pilots for an eight-hour workday are not granted. Representatives of the pilots and of the companies owning boats have been negotiating for weeks, but so far the conferences have come to nothing.

Capt. Luther B. Dow, general manager of the association, said last evening that the pilots seldom saw their families, their working hours ranging from twelve to eighteen a day.

"We want an eight-hour workday, so that the pilots will have reasonable leisure time," he said. "We will give the companies to the last of this month to settle, failing in which we will take further action to enforce a shorter workday."

Under the law the pilots cannot strike. They can resign by giving proper notice. The last time the pilots quit work in this way a compromise was reached.

MINE CONFEREES CAN'T AGREE

General Strike Dreaded as Result of Scale Committee's Report.

CINCINNATI, March 25.—The Scale Committee of the joint conference of the miners and operators of Ohio, Indiana, and Western Pennsylvania will report to the main body to-morrow morning their inability to agree, and the conference is scheduled to come to a close. What action the miners may take following this is troubling the mining interests here. A secret caucus was held to-night by the miners on the Joint Scale Committee, but its results were not announced.

It is known that Western Pennsylvania and Indiana mine owners have offered a five-cent increase on pick work, and that Ohio has refused every demand. It is reported that at the meeting to-morrow of the Miners' Convention the question will be whether to strike in Ohio at once or to refuse all offers, and to call a general strike. An alternative that has considerable backing would be the dissolution of the convention without definite action other than the instruction of the various districts to sign new agreements, or, failing in this, to begin open warfare with the sanction of the National organization.

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For Girls—a variety of styles in patent leather, glace kid or tan Russia calf. Lace or button models.

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Easter Coats & Dresses for Girls and Juniors

Special preparations have been made in this section for the home-coming of the school girl. To her mother, one of the features of Easter vacation is the wardrobe for Spring and early Summer. Much must be done in little time.

We have spared no pains to make our assemblage of garments comprehensive—Dresses and Coats for every possible occasion, in all fashionable and practical styles, materials and colorings. Our prices are lower than those quoted elsewhere for the same qualities. We guarantee satisfactory alterations at the very closest figures.

Tailored Coats Sizes 12 to 18 years.
Full length models in the newest shapes; fancy shawl collars of embroidered linen, silk, moire, pongee or cloth of gold. The Coats are fashioned of serges, worsteds or covert cloths. Colors: navy, black and white check; also white or black.
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Dresses for Girls Sizes 6 to 14 years.
In many styles of French challis, voile, plaid silks or white serge, Russian, tunic and middy are among the popular models. Colors: tan, navy, reseda, gold, cadet, light blue, rose; also white.
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A wide range of new models and colorings in Frocks of French ginghams, repps or linens.
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We are offering the largest assemblage in New York City of Chatelaines in enamel, gold filled and sterling silver.

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We are prepared to accept Furs and Fur Garments for Cold Storage throughout the Summer months.

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The busy man who has put off the selection of his Spring Outfit until the last minute, can save time, worry and money by looking through our vast assortment of

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Spring Hats
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Ready-to-put-on and a perfect fit and choice without delay.

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Frock Coats and Vests $20.
Fine Worsted Trousers $5, $6 and $7.

Correct in every detail; the cut and style of these garments and the materials used are as near perfect as possible even at these prices.

Better ones, of course, if you want them.

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Nassau & Fulton Sts.
For 53 years
On the same spot and still there.

The Best Bitter Liqueur
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Should be in every home for the use of all. Creates an appetite and insures digestion.

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SHACKLETON SURE POLE WILL BE WON

Explorer on His Arrival with Lady Shackleton Says Next Expedition Will Succeed.

DEPENDS ON FOOD SUPPLY

He Was Obliged to Turn Back for Lack of 50 Pounds of Provisions—Starts for Washington to Meet Taft.

When the Cunard liner Lusitania arrived at her pier yesterday morning the chief object of interest on her deck was a bronzed, clean-shaven man, slightly above the average height and well built, wearing a blue serge suit and a derby hat. He was Sir Ernest Shackleton, the antarctic explorer, who went within 111 miles of the South Pole, and has come to the United States to deliver a series of lectures on "Farthest South," beginning at Carnegie Hall on Tuesday night, March 29.

Lady Shackleton, a tall, handsome brunette, stood beside her husband on the deck and was snapshotted with him by the photographers.

In an interview with the reporters the explorer showed that he possesses a brusque humor that fitted well with his description of his expedition to the antarctic. He spoke with enthusiasm of the delight of eating Manchurian pony steaks, and added apologetically that anything would taste good so near the South Pole.

Sir Ernest was very decided on four points: He believed that Peary reached the North Pole; refused to discuss Dr. Cook; would not take command of any expedition to the South Pole until Capt. Scott had made his attempt to reach that goal, and was confident that the latter would get there if his expedition was properly equipped.

Food Supply Important.

"The success of an expedition to the South Pole," said Sir Ernest Shackleton, "depends on the stamina of the men, their equipment, and, most important of all, the food. If we had had fifty pounds more solid food we should have reached our goal, as the conditions for traveling were good, and the 111 miles that separated us from it were over practically flat ice. As far as we could see with the Zeiss glasses there was no obstruction ahead. Our range was only four or five miles on the horizon, but a barrier of ice of any considerable height would have been visible between our position and the South Pole. There might have been a rise of 100 feet or so, but nothing that could not have been surmounted."

"What do you mean by solid food?" he was asked.

"By that," replied the explorer, "I mean cheese, pemmican, and plasmon biscuits. Those do not contain moisture. The pemmican we carried was different from the American kind, as it was composed of 60 per cent. of lard and the best parts of beef. It is called Bovery pemmican and comes from Copenhagen, where they understand the preparation of foods for expeditions into the frozen regions of the earth.

"From Nov. 14, 1908, to Feb. 23, 1909, our party was always hungry, except on Christmas Day, when we divided a four-ounce plum pudding into four parts and licked the spoons. We had another luxury that day in a tin of frozen sardines, which contained seventeen fish. After taking four each we tossed our knives on the ice for the odd one. We started to take a tin of jam with us, but as it weighed two pounds we left it 121 miles from base, which was 750 miles from the pole. Our breakfast consisted of pony steaks.

"To reduce our weight as much as possible, we cut twenty inches from the legs of our trousers, which may seem strange, but every ounce tells on a trip like that. At first we had 32 ounces for a man a day, which gradually got smaller until our rations were reduced to 16 ounces a man when we reached the top of the plateau, but after a few days I saw that it was not sufficient to keep up our strength and it was increased to 20 ounces."

Sir Ernest went on to explain that their clothing was made of Jaeger wool with boots made of reindeer skin prepared in a peculiar way by the Laplanders, who soak the hide in brine and then chew it to make it soft, and wolfskin gloves.

"I realize that I have lost caste with thousands of small boys, because I was not picturesquely garbed in furs," said the explorer with a smile, "but we had to study weight and the garments were windproof and equally as warm as furs."

In answer to a question as to the difference in the difficulties encountered in expeditions to the Arctic and Antarctic the explorer said that the base of supplies was much nearer to the north pole than to the south, there was more animal and plant life and the climate was not so windy nor so cold as it was going south.

On the other hand the disadvantages of going to the north pole were that the traveling was much rougher over great hummocks of ice and it was impossible to make any depot or pitch a tent on the ice, as it would float away.

"On our expedition," Sir Ernest went on to say, "we lost all signs of animal or plant life five miles after leaving the coast line. We were entirely cut off from the world, and if our ship had been wrecked we should have never got back, as no vessels penetrate those seas.

"The wind was a drawback, as it blew with great force in our faces, carrying the fine ice drift with it. For three days we had a wind of from 50 to 70 miles velocity an hour and in gusts it attained a speed of 180 miles. All we could do was to lay covered up in our sleeping bags until the gale had moderated. To have exposed ourselves to the wind would have meant certain death.

Marched 1,755 Miles.

"The prevailing wind was south and southeast. The distance we traveled on foot as the crow flies was only 639 miles, but with back marches and relays we really covered 1,755 miles. Sometimes we marched six miles to make three forward and even more to avoid bad places, as it was hard work hauling our equipment. The Manchurian ponies were of great service to us, as we used them until they were worn out and then shot the animals and dined on the steaks. The rest of the meat was frozen and carried on. The mean temperature taken at the base of supplies was below zero, Summer and Winter, but with a wind blowing it was much colder. We had the sun night and day, as it was midsummer in the Antarctic, but there was no warmth in its rays. Our party was very fortunate in having fourteen days continuous fine weather, which was purely luck. Weather conditions enter largely into the success of an expedition to the south pole. I intend to make another trip to the south, probably in 1911, on a larger scale, but it will be entirely for scientific purposes and not to get to the pole."

The explorer explained that the ice in the south was land ice and that it had been shown that there was a continent of some 4,000,000 miles of land there.

This is not the first time the explorer has visited this country. In 1903 he traveled overland from San Francisco on his return from an expedition in the Discovery, and in 1894 he was in New York for two months as officer on one of the China steamships.

Frederick Tench, E. P. Benjamin, and George A. Harwood, the members of the committee from the Transportation Club who went over to London to escort Sir Ernest Shackleton across to New York, were on the Lusitania, and accompanied him to the club rooms in the Manhattan Hotel, where he and Lady Shackleton stayed until it was time to leave for Washington, where they will be the guests of Ambassador Bryce until Monday.

Gave Many Lectures in Europe.

At the hotel Sir Ernest told of the busy lecture tour in Europe which had occupied all his time since Oct. 7. He said that he delivered 140 lectures besides addresses at bazaars and charity meetings. He lectured in all central and northern European countries, delivering his lectures in English, French, and German.

"What do you think about the race for the south pole?" Sir Ernest was asked.

"Well, Germany has decided to postpone its expedition for one year, and meanwhile Capt. Scott and the American expedition will have an opportunity to accomplish the work."

"Do you think that Col. Roosevelt would be the best man to head the American expedition?"

"He seems strong enough and energetic enough," was the answer, "but I do not know enough about him to express an opinion."

"What do you think about the attempts to reach either of the poles by airships?" was a question.

"Airships need still a lot of experimenting," said Sir Ernest. "I spoke about this with Prince Henry of Prussia, who is very much interested in this matter. They are going to experiment with airships at Spitzbergen, where conditions are sufficiently like the arctic to make the tests valuable. The trouble with airships is that the gas contracts in lower temperatures, which is the main difficulty which they have to overcome in the cold regions. Aeroplanes again are not far enough developed."

Plans for His Entertainment.

On Monday, March 28, Sir Ernest will be the guest of the Pilgrims at the Lawyers' Club for luncheon. In the evening he will receive the medal of the American Geographical Society in the Engineering Building. On Tuesday he will be the guest of the Explorers' Club at luncheon in the Astor at which Commander Peary will preside. At 8:30 o'clock in the evening he will deliver his first public address in Carnegie Hall. Joseph H. Choate, ex-Ambassador to England, will preside and Commander Peary will deliver the address of welcome.

On Wednesday Sir Ernest will be the guest at a private luncheon, and in the evening will attend a dinner given by the Transportation Club at the Hotel Manhattan. He will take the midnight train for Boston to begin his lecture tour.

He will return to New York on Monday, April 25, and in the evening will attend a dinner given in honor of him and Lady Shackleton and of Commander and Mrs. Peary.

MORE LIENS ON OPERA CAFE.

Claims Filed Against Broadway Restaurant Now Total $58,649.

More mechanics' liens, aggregating $15,792, were filed yesterday against Henry Phipps, as owner, and the United States Restaurant and Realty Company, as contractor, on the property near Forty-second Street and Broadway, on which the company recently erected the Café de l'Opera.

The claims are for alterations, ventilating apparatus, and wiring and are in favor of Westinghouse, Church, Kerr & Co., $5,357; McNulty Brothers, $5,660; Frederick Porsth, $2,460, and the Electric Carriage Call and Specialty Company, $2,315. These, with the three liens filed Thursday, amounting to $42,857, bring the total claims against the comany up to $58,649.

Edward H. Cahill, Treasurer of the United States Restaurant and Realty Company, was inclined yesterday to treat lightly the filing of these liens. He said that neither he nor his associates had been notified of the filing of the liens and that this course usually follows the opening of any new enterprise in this city. He added that the company had only $22,000 debts against it and that there would be no change in the management of the restaurant.

Mother Dead, He Shoots Himself.

Nicolo Casalina, a young Sicilian of 11 Coles Street, Brooklyn, who lost all his family except his mother in the earthquake at Palermo a year ago, received a letter from Sicily yesterday saying she had died. Going to his room last night, he shot himself through the right breast. At the Long Island College Hospital it was said he would die.

Your New Easter Suit Is Here
—Full of Style and Dignity
—And No Extra Cost for It.

ISN'T it a fact that you frequently see other young men who look better dressed than yourself; and yet you know that they spend no more for their clothes than you do? That's because THEY know where to buy their clothes.

Before buying YOUR new suit, suppose you come here—just look over the new styles, see for yourself how full of snap they are, especially the suits for young men—how splendidly the coats hang—with just the proper breadth of shoulder, big, full chest, long, graceful lapels and that dash of line at the waist—and the trousers in the peg-top style with cuff bottoms. These are the suits you admire on the other fellow—you can wear them—and need pay only

$15 $16.50 or $18

The fabrics include the new worsteds, cassimeres and cheviots, in greys of all shades, tans and olives and the popular "blue blue."

VOGEL BROTHERS
42 St. at 8 Ave.

CARUSO PAYS UP TO THE BLACK HAND

Tenor Said to Have Given Between $1,500 and $2,000 to Buy Safety from Attack.

POLICE FAILED TO STOP HIM

Brooklyn Judge Increases Bail of Men Held for Blackmailing Him from $5,000 to $10,000.

Enrico Caruso, the Metropolitan's golden-voiced tenor, came back into the limelight yesterday, this time as the tractable creature of the Black Hand blackmailers. Caruso, himself an Italian and thoroughly familiar with the tactics of a certain class of his countrymen, has paid between $1,500 and $2,000 to the Black Hand to purchase peace for himself, according to present report. Caruso himself wouldn't admit it, but his associates unhesitatingly accepted the statement as true.

However, despite the payment and the fact that the two men alleged to have been the principals in the recent attempt to hold up the singer are now in jail, Caruso is still in daily receipt of letters, in which he is threatened with every conceivable kind of bodily harm unless he promptly pays more. These letters have worried the tenor a great deal, and his newly organized bodyguard accompanies him everywhere he goes.

While Caruso himself could not be seen yesterday, an officer of the Metropolitan Opera House said that he would not be at all surprised if the report that the singer had paid some money to his enemies was true. This man pointed out the fact that Caruso was an Italian and was familiar with the ways of the blackmailing Italians, and knew to what lengths that class of criminals go in order to accomplish their ends.

The rumor that Caruso, despite the vigilance of the police to keep him from doing so, had paid money to the Black Hand, was given color when the cases of Antonio Misiani and Antonio Cincotta, the two Sicilians who were arrested on suspicion of being the principals in the plot to extort money from the tenor, were before Judge Fawcett in the Kings County Court yesterday morning. The men have been out on $5,000 bail, and they and their lawyer were much surprised when Judge Fawcett, as soon as they were arraigned, announced that the bail had been increased to $10,000 in each case.

Neither man was able to furnish the increased bail and they were locked up in the Raymond Street Jail. Thomas H. Whitlock was the lawyer who appeared for them and entered a plea of not guilty. As soon as the plea had been entered Judge Fawcett said:

"How much bail are these men held in now?"

"$5,000," answered County Clerk Foley.

"Well, if that is the case," Judge Fawcett said, "I shall hold each in $10,000, as $5,000 is not enough."

Mr. Whitlock objected to the increase, saying that it was prohibitive, and that neither of his clients could furnish the amount named.

"My reason," said Judge Fawcett, "for increasing the bail is that I have information that the prisoners are about to leave the jurisdiction of the Court."

"It is true," Mr. Whitlock said, "that these men are Italians, but they have been in the United States for a year, and there is no possibility of their not being in court when they are wanted. They are both business men, and have families, and to make the bail $10,000 is prohibitive and we cannot give it."

Judge Fawcett was not impressed by Mr. Whitlock's reasoning and refused to recede from his original position and the prisoners were taken to jail by the police.

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Men's $1.25 & $1.50 Shirts
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A manufacturer who has a reputation of twenty years' standing for high class Shirts had an unusually large cancelled order thrown back on his hands and rather than take the shipment back he turned the order over to us at almost half price.

To-day the entire purchase will be ready for you—a broad range of patterns, plain and plaited bosoms, attached or detached cuffs; made of madras and fine percales; usually $1.25 and $1.50, at . . 85c

Men's Easter Neckwear

All this season's latest novelties. The shapes include narrow four-in-hand and open end four-in-hand; of special interest is a line at . 50c
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THIS IS AS CHOICE A LITTLE COLLECTION of Frocks for dressy wear as could well be brought together. Two are Parisian Frocks—imported for style inspiration. The others are samples—individual, artistic and no two alike.

Some are of chiffon over soft Japanese silks and messalines. Others of satin charmeuse or chiffon over satin, or of the softest foulard silk or of chiffon and tussah over Persian crepe foulard. There are some Dresses of foulard veiled with chiffon, several natural tussah silks, one hand embroidered diagonal chiffon and so on.

They will be ready this morning—and they will be snapped up in a hurry at $25 each. Fair warning to be early.

$15 Serge Tailored Suits at $9.98.

A third saving because the maker is eager to put his workrooms at washable Frocks and so made up the remainder of his serges for us at a concession. They are in the good spring colorings and excellently tailored. Trim little Coats of the correct length, semi-fitted and satin lined. Plaited skirts.

Second Floor—None C. O. D. or on Approval.

$7 to $18 Hand Bags at $5.

FIVE DOLLARS is a popular price for Hand Bags. And at $5 there have been noteworthy Hand Bag sales in the Loeser Leather Goods Store. But never have we ever been able to offer Hand Bags of quite the quality and character represented in this offer for to-day.

These Bags are imported and domestic models that have been used as samples. They are of black and colored levant, polished pigskin, painted pigskin, genuine seal, walrus, saffian, English morocco and beaver calf. There is a wide variety of the most practical and desirable shapes. Some are made with the frame-within-frame effect, others are finished with covered or metal frames. Many are prettily etched, and there are some inlaid with pearl or tortoise shell.

Such Hand Bags would ordinarily sell at $7 to $18. The average value is at least $12. And the uniform price is $5. Main Floor.

Special Easter Service
In Distinctive Clothing
For Men and Young Men.

MEN WHO COME TO LOESER'S to-day will find that in our persistent effort to have here only what is absolutely best we have gone ahead of the records of previous seasons and that Loeser Clothing for men actually reaches a new level of excellence in style, fit and workmanship.

SATISFACTION is the commodity we set ourselves to supply to all who depend on us. We shall be very glad to have the whole Store judged by the method in which we can supply that commodity in connection with men's Clothing.

This is the general survey of the prices—at each price we ask you to expect the utmost QUALITY that the same money will buy:

Spring sack Suits at	$12.50 to $35
Spring walking frock Suits at	$30 to $35
Spring black frock Coats and Vests	$25 to $35
Spring black cutaway Coats and Vests at	$15 to $30
Spring Overcoats at	$15 to $35

$20 to $25 Suits at $17.50.

A special Easter offering planned for this final week of preparation for the Easter festival. These Suits are of the identical quality and character that we ordinarily sell at $20 to $25, but they were made under a special arrangement whereby the maker and ourselves share in the concession that makes the Easter price $17.50.

Main Floor, Elm Place.

Paris Hats and Loeser Hats
Fresh Bloom for To-day's Hurry.
LOESER HATS, $13.50 UP.

SO LIKE THE FRENCH styles which inspire them that few could guess they weren't actually out of exclusive Paris salons. No description is possible, since these Hats are never duplicated. But safe to promise on this day-before-Easter that you will find the very Hat you want, ready for Easter morning.

TRIMMED HATS AT $2.25 TO $12.50.

Scores of pretty Easter Hats are chosen from within this price range. And why not? The styles are perfect, materials fine and artistically arranged. There is every new color and shape, and it is only a matter of finding the style most becoming to you.

CHILDREN'S HATS, $1.25 UP.

In almost endless variety and charm. Styles suitable for the little girls of six or seven, to pretty, graceful affairs for older girls.

Second Floor.

Women's Easter Hosiery Sale

THE SHEEREST OF GAUZE LISLES and cottons, as well as the finest of lustrous silk Hose, are included in this Saturday event for women. There are:

35c. and 50c. Stockings at 25c.

Black gauze lisle with garter top; black gauze lisle with ribbed and lace ankles; black gauze medium weight and silk lisle; black medium cotton with unbleached split feet; white silk lisle, white gauze lisle with lace and self embroidered ankles; tan gauze lisle and cotton, tan gauze lisle with lace and self embroidered ankles; also gauze colored silk lisle.

50c. Stockings at 35c.

Black gauze lisle with garter and "Dub-L-Tops," black silk lisle, black gauze lisle, with lace ankles and colored embroidery, white gauze self embroidered and lace ankles, bronze gauze lisle, tan gauze lisle and colored silk lisle.

75c. Stockings at 50c.

Black gauze lisle, tan gauze lisle with "Dub-L-Tops," tan and bronze gauze lisle and silk lisle "Dub-L-Tops," black, white, tan and bronze gauze lisle with self embroidery and lace ankles; also gauze and silk lisle in all the popular new spring colors.

$1.35 Silk Stockings at $1.

Black, white, tan, bronze, yellow, gray, sky, navy, pink and violet pure thread silk with mercerized tops and soles which insure greatest service.

Silk Stockings at $1.35.

Black pure thread silk with lisle and all silk soles and "Dub-L-Tops."

Silk Stockings at $1.69.

Black pure thread silk with lisle and all silk soles; also tan, bronze, white and most of the popular spring shades.

Silk Stockings at $2.50.

Black pure thread silk with hand embroidered insteps. Finer quality embroidered silk Hose up to $16.50 a pair.

Main Floor.

29c. Moire Ribbons, 19c.

A GREAT EASTER RIBBON BUDGET to-day from the Loeser Ribbon Store makes one more of the striking instances of the economies in buying Ribbons here. Fine moire Ribbons, 5¼ inches wide, in all the popular colors and black. One of the most favored Ribbons for hair bows, hat bows and the like. Full 29c. value for 19c.

19c. Taffeta Ribbons at 12c.
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29c. Black Taffeta Ribbons at 19c.
35c. Colored and Black Taffeta Ribbons at 21c.
39c. Satin Ribbons at 27c.
39c. Moire Ribbons at 29c.

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Mayor Recognizes a Fellow Lover of the Ancients and Invites Mr. Frey to Call and Discuss His Troubles.

Charles M. Frey of 177 East 102d Street is a lover of Latin, a graduate of the University of Zurich, Switzerland, and by profession an "exterminator" of rats.

He has been in this country twenty years. He clears rats from such well-known institutions as the Presbyterian Hospital, the American Real Estate Building, and the Bing & Bing Building. He is planning to send his fifteen-year-old son to Columbia University before making a ratcatcher of him. Mr. Frey is known all over Harlem as a man of culture and enterprise and affairs.

Fairly well off in this world's goods and occupying his leisure with polite correspondence and in culling quotations from ancient authors, only one thing has for years troubled Mr. Frey. That is jury duty. Charles E. Frey can quote Virgil or talk rat catching with pride and optimism by the hour. But mention jury duty to him and he will tell you a long tale of interrupted business and woe.

It wasn't so bad when Mr. Frey first started his rat-catching business. In those days he was just beginning to make (to use his own words) a "reputable profession out of what was once a clumsy trade." But after he invented his "rat paste" and began to prosper then every drawing of jurors in the office of the Commissioner of Jurors seemed to contain his name.

"I can't serve. I'm too busy practicing my profession!" he complained last year to Judge Delehanty when he was brought to serve on a jury in some civil suit in the City Court.

"Too busy practicing your profession? What is your profession?" asked Judge Delehanty.

"I'm a rat catcher, your Honor. I use paste, ferrets, or traps, according to conditions," quoth Mr. Frey.

"Rat catching's no crime, it's a misfortune," said Judge Delehanty. Mr. Frey, much to his exasperation, had to serve.

Summoned subsequently before Justice Dowling Mr. Frey, as a result of renewed protests, was referred to Commissioner of Jurors Allison. Commissioner Allison's clerk promised to take Mr. Frey's name from the rolls until the rat catcher's 15-year-old son had been graduated from college and could thus take his father's place while the latter was responding to the calls for jury duty. The clerk didn't keep his promise, and as a result Mr. Frey has served on twenty juries in the last year. He served on one last Monday and he has been summoned to serve on another next Monday. As his professional methods are secret, he cannot employ any one else to take care of his business while he is away. Reduced to desperation by the flood of jury calls he wrote Mayor Gaynor this letter the other day.

Audaces Fortuna Juvat.

Mayor William J. Gaynor:

Honorable Sir: Hoping it will be possible for you to devote a little of your valuable time, I send you this statement of my unfortunate case. I am a ratcatcher by profession. There are far too few capable men in this line, and I ply my trade with molestation to none. In the last year I have received no less than twenty jury summonses. Every Judge, recently, when he learned my situation, has excused me. But the summonses keep coming, and every time one comes it means the loss of a day.

I have been getting a summons every month, and I have one for next Monday. Judge Victor Dowling some time ago referred me to Commissioner of Jurors Allison and Commissioner Allison's clerk promised to take my name off his books until my son graduated from college. This promise, however, has not been kept.

I cannot serve on a jury, your Honor. My contracts require my daily attention. My methods are secret, so I cannot employ help to carry them out. Kindly let me know where I can go for relief in this situation. If I may call on you to explain the situation, pray command me.

Such a plea would have softened the heart of any Mayor. What seems to have appealed to Mayor Gaynor, however, was the Latin. The lover of Epictetus recognized in a friend of Virgil and Seneca a fellow-scholar. And he sent this reply yesterday:

March 20, 1910.

Dear Mr. Frey: Your letter of March 15 is at hand, describing how your calling of ratcatcher is being constantly interrupted by your being summoned to serve as a juror.

Sooner than have the city overrun with rats and everything eaten up by them I would rather have you relieved of jury duty. Do you not think we had better have a bill introduced in the Legislature to exempt ratcatchers from jury service?

The difficulty is, however, that so many exemptions have already been passed by the Legislature that there seem to be only the ratcatchers and a few other people left to serve on juries. That might possibly impede the progress of your bill if sent to Albany.

I will have to carefully consider the matter, and some day when you are down this way come in and we will talk it over, and also about rats. I see that you are a classical scholar, judging by the motto at the head of your letter. My experience is that learned men are to be found everywhere. As we read in "Don Quixote": "The mountains breed learned men, and philosophers are found in the huts of shepherds."

Sincerely yours,

W. J. GAYNOR.

Charles M. Frey, Esq., New York City.

Mr. Frey said last night that he would certainly call on the Mayor.

TEAM CRASHES INTO TROLLEY

Ran Away Down Hill—Driver and Car Passengers Hurt.

Running at breakneck speed down a slope of 45 degrees between Fifth and Third Avenues, in Forty-fourth Street, Brooklyn, a team of frightened horses attached to a heavy delivery wagon of Frederick Hollender & Co. of 183 Lafayette Street crashed into the rear platform of a south-bound Third Avenue trolley car last night. So terrific was the impact that the metal sides and glass casing of the platform were carried to the street, together with the splintered débris of the wagon itself.

Alfred Miller of Forty-first Street and Third Avenue, Brooklyn, the driver of the wagon, who had vainly tried to check the horses all the way down the steep hill, was pitched headlong over the dashboard and by the platform of the car, landing on his head upon the sidewalk thirty feet away with a fractured skull. Three men who were standing on the platform of the car were thrown to the street and cut about the face and body by glass.

One of them, Charles Radue of 319 Forty-eighth Street, Brooklyn, was attended by Dr. Carr of the Norwegian Hospital, but the other two went home without giving their names. Miller was taken to the hospital, where it was said he would probably die. One of the horses was killed outright in the crash. The other had both legs broken and had to be shot by Policeman Davenport of the Fourth Avenue Station.

Benefit for Child Study Club.

The Federation for Child Study, Mrs. Howard S. Gans, Chairman, to raise funds sufficient to cover the expense of publishing the results of the Winter's work and for carrying on next year's work, will give an entertainment on Saturday, April 9, at 3 P. M., at Mendelssohn Hall. Miss Kitty Cheatham will sing and recite. Seats can be had by applying to Mrs. J. W. Erich, 393 West End Avenue, and at Mendelssohn Hall box office on and after March 28. Mrs. Leopold Bache is Chairman of the Entertainment Committee.

KEPT GAME OUT OF SEASON.

State Now Wants Cold Storage House to Pay $147,485 Penalty.

Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum handed down a decision yesterday in which he refused to allow the interposition of an amended answer in a suit brought by the Forest, Fish and Game Commission to collect $147,485 in penalties from the Harrison Street Cold Storage Company for having game birds unlawfully in its possession during the closed season of 1909.

Edward J. McCabe, Secretary of the cold storage company, made affidavit on information and belief that the Forest, Fish and Game Commission had compromised and settled its claims for penalties against the owners of the contraband game and alleged that the collection of what he characterized as a "second penalty" would be illegal. He also set forth that the game came to the cold storage plant tagged "meat and poultry," and that his company accepted it in good faith without knowledge of its real nature. He mentioned A. Waldman, E. Weiss, and Heineman Brothers, as the depositors of the game.

Ellis J. Staley of the legal staff of the commission submitted an affidavit in which he said that no other action had ever been begun to collect penalties arising from the seizure of the game in question.

The birds seized and on which penalties are demanded were 277 ducks, $6,985; 1,022 quail, $25,610; thirteen woodcock, $385; 673 grouse, $66,885; 1,750 Wilson snipe, English snipe, yellow legs, jack snipe, bay snipe, plover and rail birds, $43,810; 148 pheasants, $3,760.

The original answer submitted was a general denial of all the allegations of the commission.

NOT IN HOSPITAL; MARRIED.

Girl Met Atlanta Man Here When Family Thought She Was Ill in Boston.

Although she was supposed by her family to be convalescing from an attack of appendicitis in Boston, twenty-four-year-old Elizabeth Kron of Northampton, Mass., walked briskly into the City Hall yesterday on the arm of twenty-five-year-old Clifford M. Whitehead of Atlanta, Ga. They met Alderman Samuel Marx in one of the corridors.

The marriage ceremony only took a minute or two, being performed by the obliging Alderman. Alderman Marx understood young Whitehead had once been a West Point cadet, and that the couple intended to stop at the Hotel Imperial. They were not discoverable at the hotel later.

Earl Kron, brother of the bride, who is an engineer in the Northampton State Hospital, said at that place last night that his sister had been studying nursing in a Boston hospital. Her father, Joseph P. Kron, is in Unionville, Conn.

According to the City Hall record, Whitehead's father is Oliver W. Whitehead of Atlanta. How two young folks whose homes are in two such extreme points of the United States happened to meet so auspiciously they did not tell, but Whitehead is a salesman.

Alderman Marx has a romantic theory that young Whitehead may have been a patient in the Boston Hospital, and that his present bride may have been his nurse.

ATLANTA, Ga., March 25.—Clifford M. Whitehead, the young Atlantan who was married in New York to-day to a Miss Kron of Northampton, Mass., figured prominently in a recent matrimonial tangle in Boston, according to dispatches published here. Whitehead, according to the reports here, after going recently to Boston from Atlanta, obtained a license less than two weeks ago to wed Miss Josephine Dudrigan, a stenographer, but the marriage was called off by the mother of the young woman when she learned that Whitehead was not the son of a rich Southerner nor a former West Point cadet.

Whitehead is 22 years old, and formerly was employed in a printer's office here. He resigned his place and went to Boston, where he obtained employment in the office where Miss Laudrigan worked as a stenographer, the announcement of his engagement following within a few days.

Whitehead's mother expressed surprise to-day when informed of his marriage, but declined to make any comment.

NORTHAMPTON, Mass., March 25.—Miss Elizabeth Rosalie Kron formerly lived here, but her family moved to Unionville, Conn., two years ago. She was employed for a time in Mrs. Boyden's restaurant, the favorite eating place of Smith College girls, and is described as pretty, pleasant to meet, and an ideal waitress.

After leaving Northampton she got employment in a dry goods store in Boston. Nothing is known in this city about Mr. Whitehead.

She Stole Crepe from Doorknobs.

Lillie O'Neil of 242 Eighth Avenue in Special Sessions yesterday was sentenced to ninety days in prison for stealing the crêpe sign of death from the door at 153 West Thirtieth Street. Later she so far forgot herself as to wear it in the public streets.

GRANBY BOOSTING LAID TO ENGINEER

Directors Resent Imputation That They or the President Knew Mine Was Nearly Stripped.

HODGES WILL NOT EXPLAIN

Going to New $50,000 Job in Peru—He Says He's an Engineer and Can Say Nothing.

Although yesterday was a holiday in the stock markets of the entire country, and there were no sales of the stock of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting, and Power Company, Limited, by which to measure the further response in values to the disquieting news brought by President Langeloth from the mine, the whole question of who was to blame for the extraordinary discrepancy between the company's last annual report and the information, just made known to the stockholders, of a practically stripped mine continued yesterday to disturb the officers and Directors of the company.

A. B. W. Hodges, who as local manager of the property, made the statement in the last report that the ore reserves, which President Langeloth said on his return from the mine only showed 6,000,000 tons available for stoping, "are largely increased, and we have ore in sight for many years to come," was at the offices of the Cerro De Pasco Mining Company. He is in New York preparing to go to Peru to take up the duties of his new $50,000 job with the Cerro De Pasco Company.

When he was asked if he had any explanation to make of the discrepancy between his own and the President's report about the mines he has just left and at which his reputation as a mining engineer was largely made, he replied that he had merely been an employe of the company and as such had no right to talk.

The officers of the company in New York have been inclined to attribute the peculiarity of the situation entirely to Mr. Hodges. He was told of this feeling on their part, and the suggestion was made to him that he might consider himself justified in making a defense under the circumstances.

"I am an engineer," he said. "I cannot say anything about the Granby mine."

One of the active Directors of the company reiterated yesterday that the developments following President Langeloth's visit to the mine came without warning. He said that the inspection of the mine by the President and Director, Clark, accompanied by an outside engineer, was the merest accident, and was incidental to the resignation of the managing engineer.

When the company learned that Mr. Hodges was going to Peru, he said, it was decided that it would be best to go over the property with him, under the guidance of another engineer and to discuss his views for its future and the choice of a successor.

Otto Sussman, the engineer who accompanied the party, had made an inspection of the mine some years ago, and was more or less familiar with conditions. He, therefore, was naturally chosen to consult with Mr. Hodges, the Director explained. Mr. Hodges did not travel to New York with the returning officers of the company.

The Directors of the Granby company yesterday resented the imputation that they had any knowledge of the true conditions at the mine which was withheld from stockholders. It was pointed out that during the time of the recent inspection trip there were practically no sales of the stock on the New York Stock Exchange, and only minor transactions, amounting to less than an average of 100 shares a day in Boston. The stock had been inactive for several months.

Police Raider Gets a Conviction.

Charles F. Cunningham, one of the two volunteer police raiders now under suspension, was chief witness in Special Sessions yesterday. On March 8 he arrested Jacob Spitzer of 107 Hester Street for selling beer to a fourteen-year-old boy. Spitzer was fined $50.

Prison for Chauffeur, a Third Offender

For driving at thirty miles an hour along the Grand Boulevard on March 3, Joseph Kern, a young chauffeur from Congers, N. Y., was sentenced in Special Sessions yesterday to one day in prison and $100 fine. It was his third offense.

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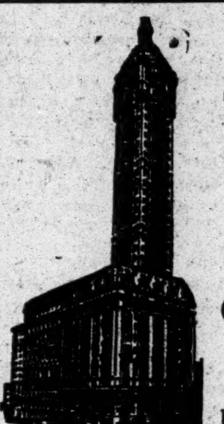

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Glavis's Counsel Calls for the Secretary, but Committee Thinks Over Question.

GUGGENHEIM AGENT HEARD

Stephen Birch Regrets He Told So Much to Senate Committee—Denies Use of Influence.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The Ballinger-Pinchot inquiry was resumed to-day after an adjournment of practically two weeks. As soon as the committee met Attorney Brandeis, representing Louis R. Glavis and others, surprised his hearers by requesting that Secretary Ballinger be called as one of his witnesses. He said at first that he wished Mr. Ballinger to identify two letters that he desired to introduce in evidence. Questioned further, he admitted that he desired to conduct a general examination of the Secretary.

Counsel for Mr. Ballinger objected to this and called forth from Mr. Brandeis the remark that from his letters he had always supposed Mr. Ballinger to be ready to appear, whenever and as often as any one connected with the inquiry desired. Some members of the committee seemed to think that Mr. Ballinger should have opportunity to make his statement first in his own way and not subject himself to a cross-examination before being examined in chief, and the matter was passed over temporarily.

The witness stand was occupied during the entire day by Stephen Birch, Managing Director of the Mergen-Guggenheim syndicate in Alaska. Members of the committee showed deep interest in the operations of the syndicate, and plied the witness with questions from every possible angle.

Much of the questioning was intended to show that the Guggenheims practically controlled Alaska. Mr. Birch stoutly denied this.

"Well," he was asked by Representative Graham, "if the Guggenheims got control of the coal lands in Alaska what would there be left?"

Mr. Birch said he didn't think this was a fair question. He admitted that the Guggenheim interests were large, that they had invested some $15,000,000 already, and had contracted for the expenditure of other millions. There had been no returns from these investments as yet, but the syndicate "had hopes."

Representative Graham asked Mr. Birch if the testimony he gave before the Committee on Territories as to the enormous value of the coal lands in question was in general correct, and if it could be considered as sworn testimony in the present proceedings.

"Yes," he replied, "but I don't think I would have said as much as I did if I had realized I was talking to a press gallery."

"But the report of your testimony is a Government document."

"I know it, but it has been printed in every paper in the United States. It has been abused."

As to his estimate that the coal in Alaska was worth 50 cents a ton in profit, and that therefore the Cunningham claims represented an actual value of $25,000,000, Mr. Birch declared that it was just as sensible to say that the icebergs in Alaska were of inestimable value. The icebergs, he said, would be valuable if they could be brought to market in this country. So it was with the coal, but first the transportation facilities had to be provided.

Brought back to the Cunningham claims, Mr. Birch produced the option which a committee of the claimants had given to Daniel Guggenheim July 20, 1907. He declared that this option had been accepted by the Guggenheims Dec. 7 of that year. The claimants, however, had never lived up to its terms. Cunningham, he said, in January or February, 1908, had contended that the Guggenheims themselves had voided the option by changing their railroad base from Katalla to Cordova, and that furthermore the option was of no effect because a majority of the claimants had never ratified it.

Representative Madison wanted also to know if it wasn't true that there was a "gigantic scheme on foot to control a great part of Alaska."

"That is your inference," remarked the witness.

Mr. Brandeis drew from the witness the fact that the development of Alaska depended almost wholly upon the opening of the coal fields. When he had done this he turned fiercely upon the witness and demanded to know if, in view of this fact, the Guggenheims had sat quietly by for two years and made no exertion to have patents granted in the Cunningham group.

"All we did was to tell Cunningham to hurry up with his patents."

"Do you mean to say that, with all the influence and power of the Morgans and the Guggenheims in this country, they made no efforts in this direction, except your feeble efforts? Is that what you wish this committee to understand?"

"It is."

"All this influence and power went for nothing?"

"What could we do? We had nothing to do with the patents, did we?"

"Mr. Birch, I think you are better able to answer that than I," remarked the attorney, dramatically.

Mr. Birch said that in none of his conversations with Mr. Cunningham was Mr. Ballinger's name mentioned or any promise recited as to the action of the Commissioner of the Land Office.

It was evident to-day that members of the committee were growing irritable and that this irritability extended to the counsel.

WHAT BEFELL CAPT. MOSES?

Borneo Consul, Who Was Expected Home 42 Years Ago, Never Came.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Representative Roberts of Massachusetts has been asked to perform the difficult task of ascertaining what became of Capt. Charles Lee Moses, U. S. N., who forty-two years ago wrote his wife from Bangkok, Siam, that he was sailing for home. Capt. Moses never appeared, and his wife has asked the Massachusetts member to clear up the mystery.

Capt. Moses was in the civil war. He survived the fight between the Monitor and the Merrimac, and was an officer on the Kearsarge when the Alabama was sunk. It was in March, 1868, that he wrote his wife of his intended return home from Siam on the brig Swallow, and that he soon would arrive at San Francisco.

According to information laid before Mr. Roberts by his wife, Capt. Moses was Consul at Borneo, and gave up his position. She can only conclude that the ship foundered somewhere.

There may be a pension involved, but, anyway, the present task of the Massachusetts member is to ascertain the fate of the Swallow and Capt. Moses. Mr. Roberts confesses that it is the most peculiar service he has been asked to perform since he has been in Congress.

POPULAR VOTE ON SENATORS.

House Committee Again Brings in a Bill to Amend the Constitution.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The House Committee on Elections to-day ordered a favorable report on the Lloyd bill providing for an amendment to the Constitution which will compel the election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people. The report accompanying the bill states that twenty-seven States have declared already in favor of the amendment.

The bill has heretofore been favorably considered by the House, but in each instance has failed of passage in the Senate.

FOR CONTROL OF WIRELESS.

House Bill to Provide Against the Operations of Amateurs.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—A bill prohibiting interference with Government wireless messages will be favorably reported to the House to-morrow by the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

The bill will provide punishment for any amateur who interferes with the transmission of a wireless message affecting governmental business or of distress signals.

GERMANY FAVORS THE TRUSTS

Investors There Amazed at Our Attitude, Says Copper Magnate.

Daniel Guggenheim, President of the American Smelting and Refining Company, and head of the Guggenheim interests, returned yesterday on the Cunard liner Lusitania from a six weeks' trip abroad, during which he was accompanied by his brother, Isaac Guggenheim.

In speaking of his trip yesterday, as the liner was coming up the bay, President Guggenheim said:

"In Germany I found business conditions exceptionally good. German merchants talk bearish on copper, but they are trying to obtain all their copper from America at the very lowest price. The demand for copper is very strong abroad except in England, where political complications are retarding progress.

"Germany looks upon the agitation here against combination of capital with curiosity, for she is doing everything to encourage it so that the highest prices may be obtained for her products in other countries. Thus, they are piling up a gold supply at the expense of the United States.

"The great success of this policy is apparent even to a casual observer.

"The agitation against capital here has had a decided effect on the minds of European investors regarding American securities. European financiers are aghast. They are only buying gilt-edge bonds. There is no doubt that this has narrowed the market for American securities abroad."

President Daniel Guggenheim and Isaac Guggenheim spent most of their time in Germany and on the Riviera. The first-named refused to make any statement in reference to the proposed merger of the copper companies in the United States.

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Money Goes to New York Bible Society If It Raises an Equal Amount by May 1

A friend of the New York Bible Society, who withholds his name, has offered the society dollar for dollar for all that can be raised up to $100,000, to be used in the distribution of the Bible primarily among immigrants, sailors, and foreigners in this city who speak their mother tongue.

The New York Bible Society employs missionaries at Ellis Island to supply Bibles to the immigrants, so that each may have the Book in his own language. A missionary is also employed to work among the sailors of the harbor, visiting more than 300 vessels every month. In the city Bibles are placed in hotels, hospitals, and prisons.

This offer to the New York Bible Society was made several months ago, but has not before been made public in order not to conflict with the appeal of the American Bible Society to meet the offer of Mrs. Russell Sage.

Up to the present time $35,000 has been subscribed. There remains $65,000 to be raised before May 1 to comply with the offer.

LIBERIA BAITED BY BRITAIN AND FRANCE

Commission Reports That Black Republic's Situation Is Hopeless Unless We Step In.

ITS INTEGRITY MENACED

We Are Asked to Adjust Its Finances and Boundary Disputes, and Undertake Other Reforms.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Pressed upon one side by France and beset by Great Britain upon the other, Liberia, the little negro republic of Africa, is between two millstones, which threaten to grind it off the map unless the nation has the support of some power commensurate in strength with Great Britain and France.

This is one of the principal conclusions expressed in the report of the American Commission to Liberia, which was transmitted to Congress to-day by President Taft with a special message. After reviewing the internal dangers which threaten Liberia as well as those which crowd upon her from the outside, the commission has made the following recommendations:

That the United States extend its aid to Liberia in the prompt settlement of her boundary disputes.

That the United States enable Liberia to refund its debt by assuming, as a guarantee for the payment of obligations under such an arrangement, the control and collection of Liberian customs.

That the United States lend its assistance to the reform of the internal finances.

That the United States aid in organizing and drilling a competent constabulary or frontier police, establish and maintain a research station, and reopen the question of establishing a naval coaling station in Liberia.

For what it has been able to accomplish, the Government of the little republic and those responsible for its rule are commended highly by the commission. The Liberians have advanced in their civilization, and the native element has not undergone any retrogression. The civilization of the nation has also done much toward advancing the tribes, the commission says.

Attention is called to the fact that the Liberians never have resorted to revolution, and the nation is not, as has been said, bankrupt. Liberia, while attempting to solve her internal problems, has become involved in external ones, which are very threatening to its integrity.

The reform programme adopted upon the advice of Great Britain is condemned by the commission, and the causes are described in the report as "the bungling of British officials in 1909," which resulted in a frontier police officered largely by British. That feature the commission declares impossible for the good of Liberia.

In summarizing the conditions there the commission says that help from the United States is demanded, as Great Britain and France are not in a position to give disinterested assistance.

Suggestions have also been made to the Liberian Government by the commission, but the whole situation is summed up as very hopeless for the little nation unless the United States steps in and helps her out.

2 BOYS RUN DOWN BY AUTOS.

One Is Dying, the Other Absolves Chauffeur from Blame.

Three-year-old Harold Scanlon of 806 Elton Avenue, the Bronx, was struck and seriously injured in front of his home yesterday by the automobile of Frederick L. Vanoni, a piano manufacturer of 262 Willis Avenue, driven by Arthur Mayer, his chauffeur.

Mayer stopped the machine and carried the youngster to the office of a doctor near by. When Vanoni went to telephone for an ambulance Policeman Miley of the Morrisania Station went with him.

At Lebanon Hospital, where the boy was taken, it was said that he probably would die. Mayer was arrested.

Although badly hurt, fourteen-year-old Michael Ryan, an errand boy, of 298 East 138th Street, told a policeman not to arrest Morris Rothschild, a contractor, of 73 West 116th Street, whose auto had knocked him down at 138th Street and Ryder Avenue last night, but Policeman Devlin of the Alexander Avenue Station put the contractor under arrest. The boy will recover.

Illustrated French Conference.

A French illustrated conference will be held to-night at 8 o'clock at the French Y. M. C. A., 109 West Fifty-fourth Street, by Prof. Jordan of Columbia University. The subject will be "L'Ancienne Gaule et Ses Monuments."

BANKER TORREY QUITS.

Closes Up Shop in Nassau Street—Creditors Force Bankruptcy.

The D. M. Torrey Banking Company, private bankers and brokers at 147 Nassau Street, has closed its doors, and a notice was posted on them, "Business suspended for the present," signed Charles S. Stokes.

The business was started many years ago, and David M. Torrey became the proprietor in 1885. A petition in bankruptcy was filed against him on Dec. 17, 1898, and he received his discharge on March 29, 1899. About a year ago, it is said, Mary E. Torrey filed a certificate of trade style that she was carrying on the business under the name of the D. M. Torrey Banking Company. There is some uncertainty among the creditors now as to the actual owner of the business.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed yesterday against David M. Torrey, trading as the D. M. Torrey Banking Company, by Frederick H. Hoffman, a creditor for $1,280, for balance of money deposited between Jan. 1, 1908, and March 23, 1910. It was alleged that he is insolvent, made preferential payment of $1,000, transferred all the assets of the business, and removed or permitted to be removed, part of his property of considerable value.

Deputy Sheriff Hahn yesterday received an attachment against Mary E. Torrey and Charles Stokes, doing business as the D. M. Torrey Banking Company, for $1,751, in favor of James E. Willis & Son for balance of moneys deposited between Feb. 11 and March 18. The total deposits were $5,589 and withdrawals $3,838. The Sheriff served the attachment on a bank where it was supposed there was some money on deposit, and also on Mr. Stokes.

The concern did a small banking business for customers in the vicinity, traded in specie and stamps, and, it is said, also discounted notes. A part of the place was used for stock speculation, with a few chairs, a ticker, and a blackboard for quotations. At the top of the blackboard is the name D. M. Torrey Banking Company, member Joplin Stock Exchange.

MOB ATTACKS POLICEMEN.

Tries to Rescue a Friend—Inspector and Captain Hard Pressed.

A mob of more than fifty Italians who were trying to rescue a countryman who had shot another man at Union Avenue and South First Street, Williamsburg, attacked Police Inspector Dennis Sweeney of Brooklyn and Capt. Robert H. Dooley of the Bedford Avenue Police Station yesterday afternoon. It was not until the two officials, who were in plain clothes, used their clubs that they were able to get to the front and protect Policeman Hagemeyer, who, at the point of his revolver, had tried to prevent the mob from rescuing the man who did the shooting.

Nicolo Debatt of 106 Jackson Street and Marion Kneil of 20 Maujer Street got into a quarrel over the division of some property alleged to have been stolen, the police say. Debatt drew a knife, but before he could use it Kneil drew a revolver and opened fire. There is a large square at that point, and many children were at play. They scattered when the shooting began. Debatt was shot in the stomach, and as he fell his assailant ran through a tenement dwelling into the yard. Policeman Hagemeyer, attracted by the crowd, gave chase and caught Kneil. About fifty of the prisoner's friends attempted to rescue him. Hagemeyer drew his revolver.

Word that a riot had followed the shooting reached the Bedford Avenue Police Station. Inspector Sweeney and Capt. Dooley went to the scene in Sweeney's buggy. By the time they arrived fully 5,000 people were pressing about Hagemeyer. The Inspector and Captain were having a hard time of it when the reserves arrived. Under a strong guard Kneil was taken to the station and locked up.

Friends of Debatt had smuggled him to the Williamsburg Hospital, where the police later found him.

UNPAID WORKMEN IN A RIOT.

Creditors of Cloak Manufacturer Keep Them from Taking Away Goods.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against David Fraitag, manufacturer of cloaks and suits at 29 West Twenty-first Street, by these creditors: Kreeger Brothers, $200; Meyer J. Alper, $200, and Aaron Rosin, $200. It was alleged that he is insolvent, made preferential payments of $1,000, and transferred merchandise and accounts of $1,000. Judge Holt appointed Jesse Watson receiver.

It was stated that at 9 o'clock yesterday morning the place was crowded with workmen and creditors struggling for possession of some of the goods. The twenty-five workmen were raising a riot because their wages had not been paid, and they were attempting to remove goods, but were prevented by the creditors, about fifteen in number.

The liabilities are about $9,000 and the assets $1,000.

More Aid for the Liser Family.

In addition to those already acknowledged, THE TIMES received yesterday these contributions for the family of Bernard Liser of 541 West 133d Street, who sold his blood to save his wife and children from want, and in his weakened condition fell from a scaffold and was killed: "H. and M.," $2; "William G.," $5, and Charles Geigerman, $5.

DALZELL HEADS NEW RULES COMMITTEE

Chosen After House Unanimously Elects Ten Members Chosen by the Party Caucus.

FITZGERALD RANKS LOWEST

Democrats Put Three Members Ahead of Him, Barring Him from the Possible Chairmanship.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—By a unanimous vote the House to-day formally elected the new Committee on Rules. Immediately after its ratification the Rules Committee withdrew and perfected its organization, Representative John Dalzell of Pennsylvania being named as Chairman.

The committee will hold another session within a few days, as soon as a room is provided for it. It requested the Committee on Accounts to authorize a clerk, and also asked that a room in the Capitol building be set aside for its use. The committee to-day did not go into any extended discussion of its duties. A multitude of bills of various kinds, most of them demanding investigation, were left over by the old committee.

According to the resolution offered by Representative Currier of New Hampshire, who was Chairman of the Republican caucus, the ten members of the new committee will rank as follows: Dalzell of Pennsylvania, Smith of Iowa, Boutell of Illinois, Lawrence of Massachusetts, Fassett of New York, and Smith of California, Republicans, and Clark of Missouri, Underwood of Alabama, Dixon of Indiana, and Fitzgerald of New York, Democrats.

The Democrats are ranked according to the votes each got in the caucus, and not because of previous service. This explains why Fitzgerald, who was on the old Committee on Rules, is named last.

The ranking of Mr. Fitzgerald was regarded as rather significant. In the event that the next House is Democratic the second ranking Democratic member on the Rules Committee will be the logical successor to the Chairmanship, taking it for granted that Champ Clark will be elected Speaker. As the committee now stands this would mean that Mr. Underwood of Alabama would be Chairman, and he would not be so acceptable, perhaps, to the Republicans as Mr. Fitzgerald, who is regarded as a liberal on the rules question.

LICENSE "INFLUENCE" SOLD.

Mayor Investigating Charges Bringing in Alderman Markert's Name.

Mayor Gaynor received complaints recently that money was being extorted from downtown peddlers in return for influence to obtain licenses for them. It was charged that acquaintances of Alderman George Markert were collecting the money. The Mayor directed W. G. Meloney, his executive secretary, to investigate the matter.

Secretary Meloney reported yesterday that he had learned that Alderman Markert had persuaded Supt. Oliver of the License Bureau to grant licenses to three peddlers by showing to Mr. Oliver three certificates on blanks of the St. Vincent de Paul Society conveying the impression that the three peddlers had large families and were being supported by the society. Mr. Meloney reported that the three peddlers were not being supported by the society and that Alderman Markert filled in the certificates.

A letter, said to be in the handwritting of Alderman Markert, was also produced, addressed to "The Officer of the District," directing the "officer" to allow the bearers to use their pushcarts, as he (the Alderman) was going to get licenses for them through the Board of Aldermen.

Two peddlers, according to the report, had further testified to having paid $19 and $8 on account of payments for licenses.

No action has yet been taken on the report. Alderman Markert denied any knowledge of the matter yesterday, and pointed out that no testimony had so far been produced showing that he ever directly received money in any of the alleged transactions.

CUDAHY IN PASADENA.

Reaches Parents' Home After Father Has Gone East to Patch Up Troubles.

PASADENA, Cal., March 25.—"Jack" Cudahy of Kansas City, who recently attacked Jere F. Lillis, a banker, whom he found in his home, arrived in Pasadena to-night.

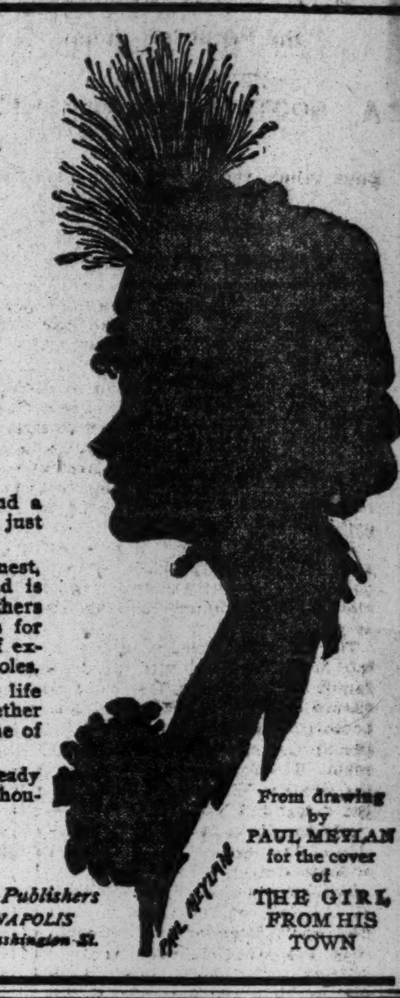
As the train stopped Cudahy peeked out of the window, and, seeing several newspaper reporters and photographers, he asked the porter to open the door on the opposite side of the train. He made a jump from the door and landed in a pile of cinders, and then walked rapidly uptown, where he hired an automobile to take him to his father's Winter home.

Michael Cudahy, the father, went East a few days ago to try to unravel the domestic difficulties of his son. It is said Cudahy will stay in Pasadena with his mother and brother for some time.

By **Marie Van Vorst**

AUTHOR OF IN AMBUSH, Etc.

The Girl From His Town



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A BOOTBLACK'S TRIBUTE

Boys Whom the Judge Befriended Put a Wreath on His Coffin and Pray Beside It.

Hundreds of persons, rich and poor, friends of the late Magistrate Daniel E. Finn, came to his home last night to pay a final tribute of respect to him.

The parlor of the Finn home in Broome Street, in which the body lay, was filled with floral offerings from organizations of which the late Magistrate was a member. Prominent among the offerings was a cross of roses and lilies nine feet high, sent by the clerks and attachés of the police courts.

Another offering, which showed the regard felt for the "people's Judge" by the poor, was a small wreath brought to the bier by five Italian bootblacks, all under 14 years old.

The room was filled with friends of the late Magistrate and with members of the family wnen, soon after the doors were opened at 7 o'clock, the delegation of five bootblacks, all of whom work around the Grand Central Station, walked into the room. The foremost of the five brought the wreath. When those in the room saw the boys and their offering, way was made for them, and they walked to the side of the open coffin in which the body of Magistrate Finn lay.

The boy who carried the wreath put it at the foot of the coffin and then the five knelt down to pray. Their prayers over the five left, the leader weeping bitterly. The Magistrate, it was explained, had patronized the boys when he was in their neighborhood, and always made it a point to give each of them a quarter wheneverd he saw them.

Among the floral offerings in the room were pieces from Perry Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Farrell, the Timothy D. Sullivan Association, the Truckmen's Union, the John Fox Association, of which Magistrate Finn was a member; the Huron Club, his own organization; the On Leong Tong, and other individuals and organizations.

In the throng that sought admission to the parlor were several delegations from political and social clubs. The entire General Committee of the Huron Club attended the gathering, and so did a delegation from the Tammany Hall Executive Committee, including Col. Asa Bird Gardiner, John F. Ahearn, Justice Victor J. Dowling, ex-Sheriff Thomas F. Foley, and others. Delegations from the On Leong Tong, headed by Tom Lee, the "Mayor of Chinatown"; the United Colored Democracy, the Peter F. Sherry Association, the Catholic Historical Society, the Catholic Club, the Tammany Society, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Eagles, the Royal Arcanum, and other organizations were at the house. Delegations of Syrians and Greeks, residents of the district of which the late Magistrate was leader, also paid honor to the dead.

Among the men who were at the house early were Fire Chief Croker, Fire Commissioner Waldo, and Deputy Police Commissioner Reynolds of Brooklyn.

Many letters of regret from men in public affairs who were unable to be at the house were received by the widow. Among these were letters from Secretary of State Samuel Koenig, John J. McGraw, manager of the Giants; Congressman William Sulzer, Congressman William S. Bennet, and Perry Belmont.

The line of people extended from the house to Varick and Hudson Streets, and in Hudson Street as far as Eighth Street. In the line were many men and women who had experienced Magistrate Finn's leniency in the police courts. There were also women of the tenements, carrying their babies in their arms, and men of means wearing silk hats. In the line also were many policemen and firemen.

The crowds were kept in line by fifteen policemen attached to the Macdougal Street station, who were under Capt. O'Connor. Policemen were stationed at the front door and in the parlor. They had no trouble of any kind with the crowd. Many persons stood about on the sidewalk after leaving the house telling of their affection for the dead leader.

At the funeral services in St. Peter's Church to-day Mgr. McGean, a friend of Magistrate Finn for a quarter of a century, will deliver the eulogy.

The church will be divided into sections for the accommodation of those attending the services. The two centre aisles will be for the family. The right aisles will be reserved for intimate and political friends, and the aisles on the left for the Tammany Hall Executive Committee men, members of the judiciary who may attend, and the pallbearers.

Meantime, the members of the Huron Club, Finn's political organization, were debating who was to succeed him as leader of the First District.

There will be two candidates, according to the outlook yesterday. One of them will be Magistrate Finn's eldest son. The other, it was said yesterday would be Thomas O'Connell, Clerk of the First Municipal Court. As Clerk of the Court, O'Connell worked side by side with Finn when the latter was City Judge. The late Magistrate is said to have wished to have the leadership pass to his son, Daniel E. Finn, Jr. Finn and his brothers said yesterday that Daniel would be a candidate for leadership. He is now 34 years old and lives at 584 Broome Street, within a few doors of his father's home.

Members of the Huron Club, who are backing O'Connell, say that he is more than ten years older than Finn and is better versed than he is in executive matters. His salary as Municipal Court Clerk is $3,500 a year.

At the close of yesterday's proceedings in the Yorkville Court, Magistrate Herrman delivered a eulogy on the late Magistrate Flynn.

HELD ON EXTORTION CHARGE.

Youth Trapped by Miss Mackenzie Waives Examination.

Without making any defense to a charge of extortion by Miss Addie Douglas Mackenzie of 37 West Eighty-ninth Street Alfred McDonald of Buffalo was held in $1,000 bail for trial yesterday by Magistrate Corrigan in the West Side Court.

Miss Mackenzie said that on March 21 a man telephoned to her, and, representing himself as Howard T. Williams, a reporter for the Associated Press, said he had learned facts concerning her family which he would suppress if she would pay $150.

Miss Mackenzie notified the manager of the Associated Press, who informed her that no such person was connected with their employ. The police were notified also, and McDonald called at the Mackenzie residence yesterday afternoon and asked for a "package," which it had been arranged was to contain the $150.

Miss Helen Dougherty of 220 North Main Street, Wilkesbarre, Penn., who was visiting the family, gave McDonald the package, made up of paper with a ten-dollar bill on the outside.

As he took it he was seized and held until Detectives Collinge and McLaughlin of the Detective Bureau arrived and took him to Police Headquarters. In court McDonald waived examination and no testimony was taken. The Magistrate fixed bail at $1,000.

McDonald said, however, that when he arrived in this city three weeks ago he met two chauffeurs who asked him to go to the Mackenzie residence and get a package. He said he didn't think there was anything wrong in it, as he supposed he was doing a favor for friends.

DROWNED AFTER COLLISION.

Fireman Jumped Into the River When Tug Hit Liner's Stern.

As the tugboat William A. Sherman went alongside the Hamburg-American liner off Cortlandt Street yesterday morning to take the incoming mail, a Pennsylvania ferry-boat left her slip for Jersey City. The Sherman was close to the stern of the Victoria Luise, and was making her way forward when the Captain of the liner saw that the ferry boat was coming out of the slip too fast. He signalled for the screw of the liner to be started full speed ahead. The captain of the ferry boat signaled full speed astern to his engine room to avoid a collision.

In the violent waters the Sherman was sucked under the stern of the liner, and in the excitement of what appeared to be an imminent collision Fireman Sigel of the Sherman jumped overboard and started to swim ashore. Engineer Cartright of the Sherman knew that Sigel was not a strong swimmer and jumped into the river to bring him back to the boat. The violence of the water and the strongly running tide, however, prevented Cartright from reaching Sigel before he was drowned. Cartright was later rescued by the crew of the ferryboat.

The Sherman was in charge of Capt. Willets, and yesterday was his sixty-fourth birthday. He has been a tugboat pilot for the last forty years, and he said yesterday that it was his first accident. The screw of the Victoria Luise crushed in the bulwark of the Sherman, and the cabin was smased when the tug was thrown against the stern of the liner. The damage was slight, but the tug proceeded to Miller's dry dock in Jersey City for repairs.

YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

A. M.	Loss.
1:00—144 Christopher St.; unknown	Trifling
4:00—18-20 Jackson St.; M. Kaufman	Trifling
8:45—211 West 36th St.; Rapid Mirot and Construction Company	$50
10:10—378 Pleasant Av.; Sunflower Realty Company	Slight
10:40—2,325 3d Av.; J. M. Lokyitch	Trifling
10:50—29 Willett St.; Rosenstein & Goodman	Trifling
11:25—55 East 100th St.; Martin Meyer	Slight
P. M.	
12:15—163 Orchard St.; Samuel Silverman	None
3:00—Broadway and 220th St.; Interborough Co.	Trifling
3:20—2,410 Hughes Av.; L. Chiva	Trifling
3:30—Jerome Av. and 198th St.; unknown	Trifling
4:00—314 Wickham Av.; M. Schmall	$10
4:30—1,668 Grant Av.; unknown	Trifling
6:10—109 Ludlow St.; unknown	$50
6:15—49 Rutgers St.; unknown	$100
6:40—294 Broome St.; B. Silenberg	$20
6:50—70 Willett St.; M. Kramer	Trifling
7:10—510 E. 136th St.; B. Grossman	$200
7:20—998 6th Av.; Dalling & Co.	$5
7:25—98 Cannon St.; M. Schwartz	$5
8:00—Foot of Bloomfield St. and North River; unknown	Trifling
8:00—248 W. 36th St.; unknown	$25
8:05—1,769 3d Av.; Harry Cohen	Trifling
8:15—125 East 115th St.; Isaac Bager	Trifling
8:15—124 W. 44th St.; C. R. Phillips	$50
8:15—2,191 7th Av.; M. Seiger	$15
8:25—164 W. 65th St.; A. Bloom	Trifling
8:30—99th St. and 3d Av.; Interborough Co.	Trifling
8:35—1,007 Ogden Av.; Wm. McCormick	$5
8:35—Sedgwick Av. and Highbridge Road; unknown	Trifling
8:40—325 E. 107th St.; W. Worth	Trifling
8:50—200 Allen St.; S. Schwartz	$50
9:00—202 E. 7th St.; Abe Brown	$5
9:00—150 W. 50th St.; Co-operative Garage Co.	$5,000
9:15—218 Madison St.; Jacob Epstein	Trifling
9:40—550 W. 44th St.; J. J. Waters	$50
9:40—1,566 3d Av.; J. Lopschitz	$[illegible]
9:45—91 East Broadway; J. Levy	Trifling
9:55—26 Broadway; Umz & Co.	$1,000
10:00—222 1st Av.; B. Laccer	$5
3:05—Echo Place and Concourse Av.; J. Schear	Trifling
4:45—Foot of 52d St. and North River; John Donnelly	Unknown
4:55—3d Av., 500 ft east of Kingsbridge Road; J. Stephens	Trifling
5:15—237 Henry St.; unknown	Trifling
5:15—863 Westchester Av.; unknown	Trifling

NAVAL ACADEMY FENCERS IN LEAD

Midshipmen and West Pointers Best Foilsmen in Intercollegiate Bouts.

As a result of the first night's fencing in the round robin tournament for the intercollegiate fencing championship at the Hotel Astor last night the navy foilsmen led their rivals for the honor. The Middies annexed a total of 10 victories against 5 defeats. West Point was second with the score 9 to 6, Pennsylvania third with 8 to 7, and Cornell brought up the rear guard with a poor showing of 3 to 12.

The four contestants of last night were the survivors of the elimination matches held at West Point and Annapolis a week ago, in which Yale, Harvard, Columbia, and Princeton were defeated. Thirty bouts were fenced last night, and the remainder of the fifty-four scheduled will be held at the Hotel Astor this afternoon and evening.

The race for the individual championship thus far lies between N. Scott of Annapolis and H. F. Wendel of Pennsylvania. Each won all of his five bouts of last evening. Wendel showed remarkable form, which, however, was not unlooked for, as he had come through the preliminary round without a defeat. In one bout last night he defeated R. N. Cocroft of Annapolis, who was tied with one of his teammates last year for the individual championship. The victory of last night was thus taken as an indication that Wendel would likely win this honor, and may go through the tournament with a clean slate.

The strong fencing of the Quakers was the surprise of the evening. While it was expected that they might cause the others some trouble, it was not anticipated that they would as a team end the first night's session only two bouts behind the leaders. The team, however, has only had three bouts with the Annapolis combination, and two of these were lost. The remaining six will probably see a majority of defeats registered against the Philadelphians.

Cornell was unable to put forth even a creditable showing, with the winning of only three of the fifteen bouts in which the team participated. Espindola, the Spanish fencer, of whom much was expected, owing to his good showing in the elimination round, failed utterly to maintain his mark, winning only one bout and losing four. With each of the other two Cornellians this was also the score. A peculiar feature of the Ithacans' work was that two of the victories were pulled away from the Middies. Allison defeated Merrill and Roos took the measure of Hall.

The competition between the army and the navy showed the Middies the better. Six bouts were fought between the representatives of the two institutions, and four were taken by the embryo Admirals. Cocroft was the only army fencer who could win from the navy. He defeated both Merrill and Hall. The summary:

R. T. Merrill, 2d, Annapolis, defeated D. Espindola, Cornell; R. P. Hall, Annapolis, defeated P. W. Allison, Cornell; H. F. Wendel, Pennsylvania, defeated O. N. Schleberg, West Point; R. N. Cocroft, West Point, defeated J. B. Parker, Pennsylvania; R. T. Merrill, 2d, Annapolis, defeated O. N. Sohlberg, West Point; H. F. Wendel, Pennsylvania, defeated D. Espindola, Cornell; J. B. Parker, Pennsylvania, defeated P. W. Allison, Cornell; R. N. Cocroft, West Point, defeated R. P. Hall, Annapolis; C. F. Peterson, Pennsylvania, defeated D. G. Roos, Cornell; N. Scott, Annapolis, defeated H. E. Dargue, West Point; P. W. Allison, Cornell, defeated R. T. Merrill, Annapolis; H. F. Wendel, Pennsylvania, defeated R. N. Cocroft, West Point; H. E. Dargue, West Point, defeated J. B. Parker, Pennsylvania; D. G. Roos, Cornell, defeated R. P. Hall, Annapolis; O. N. Sohlberg, West Point, defeated C. F. Peterson, Pennsylvania; N. Scott, Annapolis, defeated D. Espindola, Cornell; R. N. Cocroft, West Point, defeated R. T. Merrill, Annapolis; H. F. Wendel, Pennsylvania, defeated P. W. Allison, Cornell; J. B. Parker, Pennsylvania, defeated D. G. Roos, Cornell; R. P. Hall, Annapolis, defeated H. E. Dargue, West Point; D. Espindola, Cornell, defeated C. F. Peterson, Pennsylvania; N. Scott, Annapolis, defeated O. N. Sohlberg, West Point; H. F. Wendel, Pennsylvania, defeated R. T. Merrill, Annapolis; R. N. Cocroft, West Point, defeated P. W. Allison, Cornell; H. E. Dargue, West Point, defeated D. G. Roos, Cornell; B. P. Hall, West Point, defeated J. B. Parker, Pennsylvania; N. Scott, Annapolis, defeated C. F. Peterson, Pennsylvania; O. N. Sohlberg, West Point, defeated D. Espindola, Cornell;

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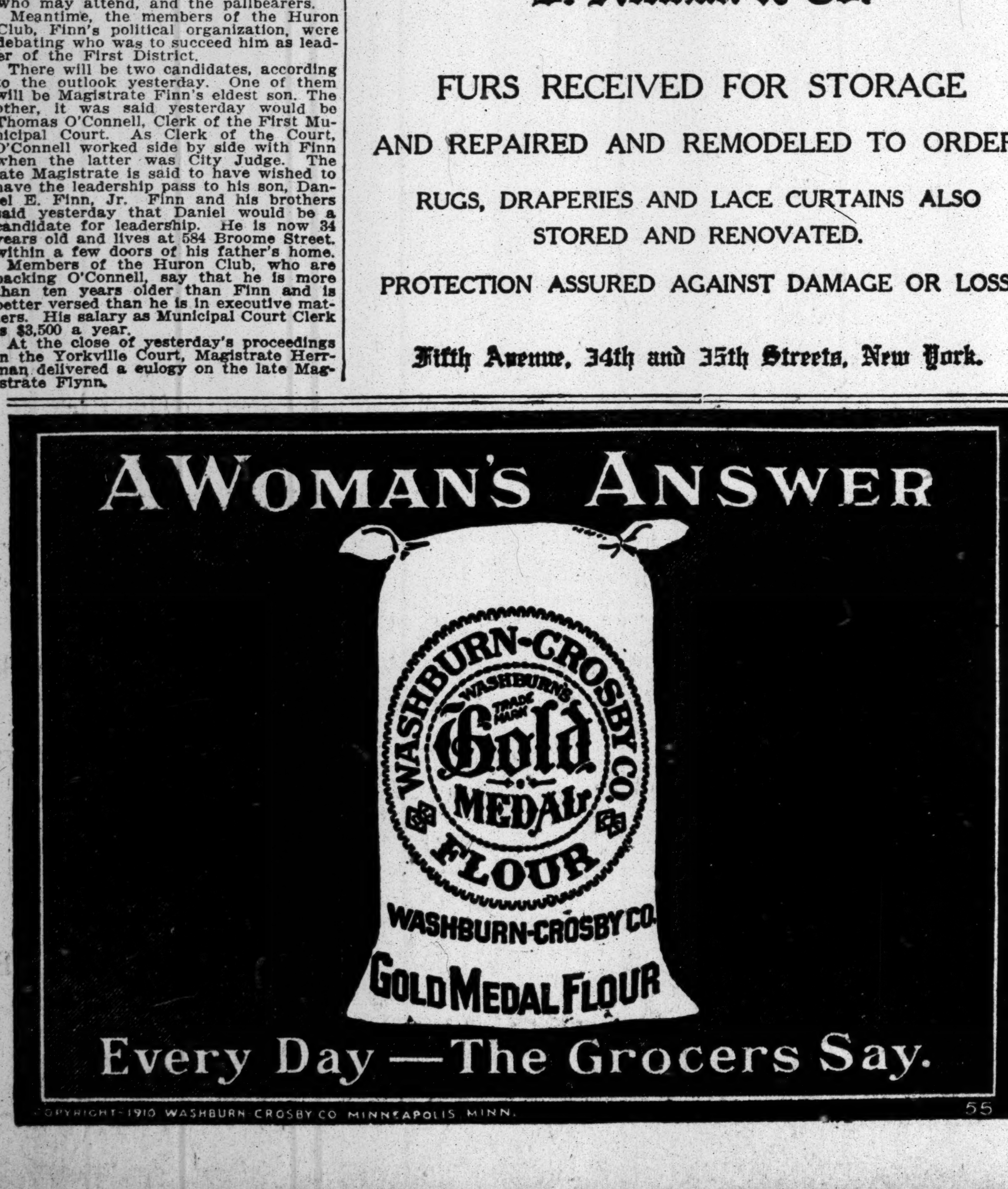
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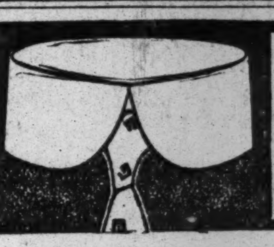

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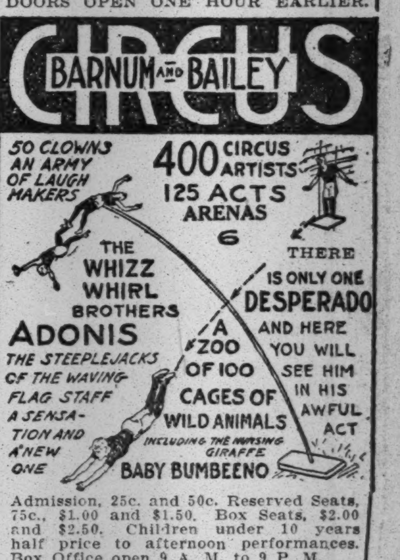
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CANNONISM.

All Americans are parliamentarians, of course, and absorb Cushing's Manual in the primary schools, if not sooner. No one of us knows when admiring fellow-citizens may require expert assistance in managing a meeting. But the idea ought not to be allowed to prevail that what has happened at Washington is merely a question of parliamentary practice. It is that, and much more. To discover what the downfall of Speaker CANNON signifies it is necessary to consider not alone his rulings in the Speaker's chair, but why they were what they were. He is right in asserting that the majority rules, and it might still be ruling through him if he had not lost his sympathy with the majority. How he came to lose touch with the House appears by examining the sort of things he stood for, and which opinion in and out of the House no longer approves.

First and foremost, the tariff. Hardly any man is more clearly responsible for the mistake which has been made than he. President TAFT defends it despite its faults. The Speaker loves it for its faults. In his own language:

> The compromise was made substantially along the lines of the policy of protection that has dominated this country from its enactment under the leadership of MERRILL at the breaking out of the war to the present time. And everybody is glad except the kicker. And we will not tinker it, in my judgment, for the next decade.

If the tariff which was passed had been the tariff the people want, or that the House wanted, he would not be in trouble for promoting the passage of that sort of tariff. The wrongness of the tariff, and of his conception of the country's tariff sentiment, explains the wrongness of his rulings. To put it the other way is to miss the point of what has happened.

The case is similar regarding the preposterous action which Congress took regarding the currency. Remembered events had produced a commanding sentiment in favor of amending the system which made it possible—or rather which made it necessary—for the banks unanimously to suspend cash payments at a time when the country was exceptionally prosperous, and when the banks were unusually strong. The Senate has its share of responsibility for the reckless waste of the motive power generated behind currency and banking reform by that humiliating and costly experience, but above all others the Speaker is responsible for what happened in the House. He wantonly humiliated Representative FOWLER, who had earned the right to speak for the best banking sentiment and who was generous enough to assist in lending the Speaker garments to cover his nakedness when he was stripped of the robes of office. The personal element is not the important thing to remark, but the errors of substance which inspired his errors of procedure in guiding the deliberations and action of the House. No sarcasm regarding a rubber currency was so biting as the Speaker's. No praise for the futile action which the House took was so loud or uncompromising as his. The emergency measure which the banks unanimously rejected, leaving us exposed to the recurrence of the events of 1907, in his view had but one fault, "that it only lasts six years, but then that could be cured by just taking the limitation off." It is not to be endured that opinion of that sort should be left in authority to produce another fiasco when the larger question of currency and banking reform comes up again during the next Speakership.

The end of Cannonism does not necessarily mean the end of CANNON. It is desirable that opinion of that sort shall have all the representation and expression to which it is entitled. The Speaker has countless friends among those who disagree with his errors. The insurgents did not seek to destroy him utterly, but to make him harmless. He thinks that he was stripped of control over the Nation's business because he was a Czar. It was rather because he was on the wrong side of public questions, and that the Nation, like the House, could not afford to have him to drive it further in the direction in which he guided his party, against the party's will.

THE COURT HOUSE SITE.

The Society of Columbia University Architects has joined in the protest against the destruction of City Hall Park by the erection there of the new County Court House. Mr. HENRY SNYDER KISSAM, President of the society, in a letter to the Mayor, notes that in the judgment of American architects the old City Hall is one of the ten most beautiful buildings in the United States. This judgment was affirmed by a popular vote of the architects in 1900. Obviously the proposed new court building would dwarf the City Hall, and its removal from its present site in course of time would be inevitable. It might be rebuilt elsewhere or destroyed altogether. It should remain where it is, the sole architectural ornament of the city's oldest park, a park to be restored to its old uses, and preserved for all time.

Like the other bodies of architects who are working together to prevent encroachment upon the park and secure a more suitable site for the court building, the Columbia University society favors no particular site. There is no job in this concerted and vigorous opposition. The first object of all concerned in it is to preserve the park. There are many excellent plans in existence for the erection of the Court House on other convenient sites.

SANDWICHES AND CRULLERS.

Mr. HILL's epigram about the cost of high living, and the high cost of living, is something more than a jest. Yesterday it was announced that the prices of birds had risen along Broadway, that ham sandwiches were dearer in Sharon, Penn., and that crullers were "up" in the "beef and" places. After that anything is possible, and there is no half of the world which is ignorant of how the other half lives. All that is left for either half to wonder and worry about is how the other half gets the price, and what the price is going to be.

There's no telling, although there are some figures fresh from the Bureau of Statistics. As is well known, there are two sorts of statistics. These particular statistics are Republican statistics, and we indicate their nature as delicately as possible when we quote the words of that philanthropist on the meat question, Mr. J. OGDEN ARMOUR, who says that he is "awfully sorry to see the people compelled to pay these big prices." He sees no hope until he can see a new crop of animals, but the Bureau of Republican Statistics sees no hope even then.

The trouble naturally is not with anything done by the Beef Trust, or the Farmers' Trust, or any of the other friends of the Administration for whom it arranges tariff schedules in private, although it is necessary to prosecute them in public. The trouble is that within ten years the population has increased 12,000,000, while food animals have decreased 5,000,000. It is obvious how futile it is to prosecute the Beef Trust under such conditions. There are just two things to do, and they are about equally awful. We might either reduce the population or the tariff. When the choice is between wholesale murder or sacrilege, only the boldest will take the responsibility of deciding. We say, and the Republicans can make the most of it, that we would rather amend the tariff than reduce the population proportionately to the decreasing numbers of beef critters and hogs. If we can get cheap food by importing it, and cannot get it by prosecuting the Beef Trust, why, then, let us reduce the tariff, although the heavens should fall on the impious consumers of birds and bottles, of sandwiches and crullers.

THE ISSUE WITH CANADA.

When Mr. FIELDING, the Finance Minister of Canada, arrives at Washington to-day he will find a situation essentially different from that existing at the time Mr. TAFT's Commissioners set out for Ottawa to inform the Canadian Government what would be necessary to avoid the application of the maximum tariff to Canadian imports. Of course, diplomatically, he can take no cognizance of the events which, like the quakings and early eruptions of Etna, have disturbed the leaders of the Republican Party at the Capital, but the most casual observer could not fail to see the traces of the disturbance.

On the very day that President TAFT discussed with Lord GREY the possible adjustment of the tariff dispute, the merits of the question were passed upon by the electors of the Fourteenth Massachusetts Congress District. The issue in the election in that district was specifically the tariff, and especially the maximum provision of the tariff with reference to its effect on the trade of New England with Canada. On this plain issue the Republican majority of over 14,000 was changed to an anti-tariff majority of nearly 6,000. The Republican vote was split in two, the anti-tariff vote was more than doubled. Nor is the revolution thus indicated confined to New England. On the day following the election in Massachusetts the Indianapolis Congressional Convention, met to select a candidate for Congress, was pressed by the President's friends to indorse the Aldrich-Payne Tariff bill and the action of the President in approving it. The pressure was resisted. The most prominent element in the policy of the party and the President could not command a majority in a Republican Convention, called to deal specifically with National issues.

Mr. FIELDING, the Canadian statesman, is an amiable and courteous, but also a very clear-headed, man. He is not likely to refer to these melancholy incidents in the President's recent trials, but he cannot be expected to ignore them in his own mind. It is quite possible that he may be prepared to make some concessions to our Government which will enable the President more easily and with less mortification to exempt Canada from the application of the maximum tariff. We sincerely hope that this will turn out to be the case. After our Government has taken the position that it did take at the outset of the negotiations, it would be trying in the extreme for it totally to abandon its position. Having practically threatened Canada, it will not be pleasant for it to withdraw the threat without some form of inducement. No sensible American cares to see his Government put in an embarrassing and humiliating attitude, even when his Government deserves it, and is reaping the just and logical consequences of its own action. On the other hand, should the President feel himself forced to apply the maximum tariff, though the Americans are bound to get much the worse of such a policy, the Canadians would suffer also. There would be an immense amount of confusion and business disturbance and a good deal of unavoidable loss on both sides. It would be much better to reach a settlement, if possible.

The consideration of such a settlement need not be confined to the present situation. It may well embrace the future. It is, for example, open to the President to suggest that the two Governments proceed to the study of the possibilities in the direction of a treaty of commercial reciprocity. It is true that such a project is in entire contradiction to the spirit of the Aldrich tariff, and is as far as can be from the purposes of the men who shaped that tariff last Summer. But these men, if they have not seen light since then, have at least been informed as to the temper of the country. They would not dare to treat such a proposition in the mood that it would then have excited. They cannot now afford to be as defiant or as treacherous as they then were. Their power has been shorn from them and their souls have been chastened. If reciprocity with Canada were now presented to them it is by no means certain that they would not take it up, or even that they would not welcome it as a measure of propitiation. The President is reported to be in favor of the principle, and he need no longer be under bondage to the Aldrich machine. Reciprocity would be very popular, and it would be a great relief to Mr. TAFT's burdened spirit at the present time to identify himself with something popular.

PIFFLING LEGISLATION.

The President of the National Association of Audubon Societies explains that the New Jersey Legislature's amendment to the State's fish and game law prohibiting the sale of the plumage of wild birds was not designed to interfere with the personal liberty of women. They may still wear the plumage of birds in their hats without fear of the law if they can get the plumage. But the bill which Gov. FORT's signature will make a law prohibits the sale of any part of the plumage of birds, or their skin. A similar bill has been favorably reported by the New York Assembly Committee on Forest, Fish, and Game. The Albany correspondent of THE TIMES reported yesterday the general belief that sentiment in the Legislature is strong enough to secure the bill's passage. Sentiment and sentimentality are generally strong not only in Albany, but in most other State capitals. If common sense and good judgment were as plentiful we should have fewer absurd and undesirable laws.

There are already laws in force to prevent the slaughtering of song birds. It is not proposed to stop the killing of wild game birds for the markets. But the feathers of those birds must not be sold. The law prohibits the sale, but neglects to indicate any other way to dispose of the feathers. They must not be used to stuff beds or cushions unless they can be obtained for that purpose without a commercial transaction. The feathers may be given away and accepted as gifts. In other words, women may continue to wear feathers if they can get them.

With the sentiment that prompts the various Audubon societies to carry on their humane advocacy of the preservation of wild birds we have cordial sympathy. The wearing of needless feathers and stuffed birds for personal adornment seems barbaric and tasteless. But sentiment may easily go too far when it meddles with the statutes. We need fewer and simpler laws, not more and more complex and baffling ones. We wear garments of wool and the sheep would perhaps prefer not to part with their natural covering. We wear furs to obtain which many living creatures, some naturally amiable and all interesting, must be put to death. What sane argument and good example cannot do to arouse women to a sense of the bad taste and cruelty of wearing feathers and stuffed birds the law cannot be expected to accomplish. Such laws as these new bird laws are made to be broken with impunity, and the presence of a multitude of such laws in the statute books helps to create a general contempt for the law.

It is to be noted that the feathers of some birds are exempted in the proposed laws of both States. Birds of paradise and ostriches are not protected in New Jersey, a fact which will cause consternation among the native ostriches and birds of paradise. The crow, the snow owl, and the great horned owl are held in contempt by the Albany legislators. They also refuse to grant special privileges to the kingfisher, an alcedinoid bird of comely appearance, harmless and useful, known to ornithologists as the alcyon, and a distant relative of the laughing jackass of Australia. Of course there is no intent to save the feathers of the English sparrow. You may take it, with or without feathers, whenever you can get it. The feathers of domestic fowl are to be exempt from the penalty in both States. Chantecler hats may be worn, as the rooster is classed among domestic fowl. But no woman wants to wear a Chantecler hat.

The Republicans have found a comforting explanation of the dreadful disaster in the Fourteenth Massachusetts District. BUCHANAN, it appears, was not much of a Republican after all. He was the backslider who helped elect DOUGLAS Governor, more a Democrat than a Republican. Whereas Mr. Foss, though now a Democrat, was formerly a Republican. We would not stay the hand of our neighbor The Tribune in applying this restorative to the nostrils of its party, stunned by this appalling defeat. But how did it come about that CABOT LODGE went into the District and made a fine, resounding speech for BUCHANAN? When did he get into the habit of supporting Democratic candidates?

Mr. JAMES W. OSBORNE is entitled to congratulations on the manner in which he summed up the case against Mr. ALLDS in the "trial" before the Senate. His address was notably superior to those of the counsel for the accused, and even of his own associate in dignity, force, and directness. It was aggressive, inevitably so, and denunciatory, but it was not abusive, or unduly rhetorical, or at all rambling. His treatment of the motives and conduct of his own client—an exceedingly delicate matter—was straightforward, candid, and effective.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

The Maine Forgotten Too Long. Though a long debate preceded the passage by the House of the bill appropriating $100,000 for "the raising or removal" of the Maine from Havana Harbor, all the speakers agreed that the work ought to be done, and that the long neglect to do it was distinctly discreditable to the Nation. The only differences of opinion developed during the discussion were as to the probable cost of the undertaking and as to what should and what could be done. On none of these points was any definite conclusion reached.

For twelve years and a little more than a month the shattered warship has rested on and in the harbor mud, the tomb of sixty-three men, an obstruction to navigation and the focus of a slowly forming shoal. Exactly what its present condition is nobody knows, but disintegration, even of steel, is rapid in tropic waters, and the best-informed doubt whether there is anything left for burial of the dead sailors and whether the ship as a whole can be brought home. Dynamite would "remove" it, but that is felt to be an operation variously objectionable. For "raising," it will probably be necessary to build a cofferdam around the wreck, and after the water has been pumped out to repair it as well as may be. The suggestion that it be made the centre of a little island and a permanent monumental feature of the harbor has not been favorably received.

Certainly something should be done, and at once. While we continue to "forget the Maine" there will be those—some of them, curiously enough, citizens of this country—to say that the forgetfulness is due to a fear lest the report of the naval board of inquiry be disproved and an interior explosion be shown to have caused the disaster. There is not the slightest basis of known fact for such a fear, and that it does not exist in the navy is proved by an admirable letter sent by Rear Admiral CHADWICK, who was a member of the board of inquiry, to Representative SULZER. In it the Admiral said:

> I have always held that the ship should be raised and the work be done in a way to allow a thorough examination of her condition as she lies. This would, of course, require the building of a cofferdam which could be pumped out. It should have been done at once after the war. While absolutely sure that the conditions will be found such as described in our report, the question of result should have no bearing in the matter. The board did its duty according to its lights, and I am sure that I can answer for the other surviving members, as well as for myself, in saying that we should welcome any new light which exposing the wreck might bring.
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> Our failure to raise the wreck has undoubtedly given an impression to many of a want of openness and straightforwardness on the part of the Government. It is our duty to remove this. We can afford to say we were mistaken; we cannot afford the imputation of fearing the truth.

Murmurings from Annapolis. There is much woe, and even more anger, among the midshipmen at Annapolis as a result of the punishment recently inflicted upon the whole brigade for participation in what the boys call a "silence." The crime is committed by refraining from all conversation during a meal. This, since it has often been used as, and is always intended to be, a mark of strong disapproval by the boys of the particular officer who happens to preside at the wordless meal, highly offends the Academy authorities, and the last instance of it moved the Superintendent to vigorous action. He put an end to all "liberty" and to all the other general and special privileges—they are pathetically few—for an indefinite period, presumably to extend over the graduation season.

Hence the woe and anger already mentioned. Hence, also, a fierce resentment in the breasts of some of the victims at what seems to them the puishment of the innocent with the guilty. For, say they, there were a good many of the midshipmen who had no hand in arranging this "silence," and did not even approve of it. They only kept still because the others did, and because to have talked when the others didn't would have exposed them to the charge of treachery to the common interest and subsequent demonstrations of dislike that would have been even harder to bear than extra tours and loss of liberty.

There is, we think, or at least feel, something wrong about this reasoning, something lacking in it as a vindication of anybody's innocence, but it is characteristic boy logic, and sound enough, perhaps, to explain why the father of one of the innocents has written to us, asking indignantly why the Superintendent didn't take the trouble to investigate before he punished, and then limit the application of his severity to those who deserved it. The inquiry is easy to make, but the attainment of results by such an investigation would have been extremely difficult. Better founded, possibly, is another question from the same source—How about the system of selecting Academy officers that puts in power over the boys a man who, whether by tactlessness, lack of sympathy, or otherwise, excites them to the point of organized mutiny? The assorted implications of that interrogation may or may not be true. As a rule, however, there is something wrong about a teacher—as a teacher—who cannot get along with his pupils most of the time without serious friction.

LAWS' UNFAIRNESS TO WOMEN

Mrs. Johnston-Wood Issues Pamphlet Showing Discrimination in This State.

Harriette M. Johnston-Wood, a member of the New York Bar, has issued a pamphlet ennumerating the "Laws Discriminating Against Women in the State of New York." These laws are outlined as follows:

MARRIED WOMEN.

The services of the wife in and about the household belong to the husband. This includes taking boarders, nursing the sick, &c.

A wife cannot make a binding contract with her husband to pay her for services within or without the household.

The joint earnings of husband and wife belong to the husband.

The husband may recover for services performed by him for his wife, under agreement.

REAL PROPERTY.

The wife is entitled to dower, i. e., the use for life of but one-third of the husband's real property, though she may have helped to accumulate it.

The husband is entitled to courtesy in the wife's real property, i. e., the use of the whole for life, if a child has been born alive.

The wife's real estate descends to the husband when she dies leaving no heirs of her blood.

The husband's real estate never under any circumstances descends to the wife, even though she may have helped to accumulate it. In default of heirs of his blood his realty escheats to the State.

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Under the Statute of Distribution the wife is entitled to one-half of the personal property of the husband when he dies intestate and without descendants.

The husband is entitled to all of the personal property of the wife when she dies intestate and without descendants.

Furniture, household effects, &c., that cannot be shown to belong absolutely to the wife belong to the husband.

DIVORCE.

In case of a divorce dissolving the marriage contract for the misconduct of the husband, the wife will not inherit any of his personal property, though she may have helped to accumulate it. She is not entitled to dower in realty thereafter acquired.

In case of a divorce dissolving the marriage contract for the misconduct of the wife, she forfeits dower and the benefit of any ante-nuptial contract.

WILLS.

A will executed by an unmarried woman is deemed revoked by her subsequent marriage.

A will executed by an unmarried man is not revoked by his subsequent marriage, unless a child has been born.

CHILDREN.

The father's right to the custody of the child is paramount.

The guardianship of the property of the children belongs, first to the father. If there be no father, then to the mother.

The father is entitled to the services of the children.

The mother inherits no part of the property of the child, if the father be living—unless the property came to the child through her.

The father is the sole heir and next of kin of the child, and entitled to all of the property of the child.

If there be no father, the mother inherits the use of the real estate for life, and the personalty is divided between the mother and brothers and sisters.

The mother is guardian of the property, and is the heir and next of kin of illegitimate children only, if the father be living.

The mother is not entitled to damages for negligence resulting in the death of her child, if the father be living. The father alone is entitled to such damage.

When the father dies immediately after the death of the child, the mother still has no right of action. The measure of recovery for the father's estate is limited to such damage as the father actually suffered to the time of his death.

One act of immorality on the part of the mother takes from her her child, while the father may continue such conduct without being seriously considered unfit to have its custody.

The pamphlet is issued under the auspices of the New York State Woman Suffrage Association.

Will He Explain?

To the Editor of The New York Times:

Will the gentleman who wants to join a man suffrage association, and who is sure that women exert a more powerful influence on public affairs without the ballot, please explain why the bad elements are so strongly opposed to equal suffrage? Every vicious interest to which women are hostile would rather contend with women's indirect influence than try to cope with women's vote. There can be no doubt as to the fact. How does he explain it? My explanation is that "the children of darkness are wiser in their generation than the children of light."

ALICE STONE BLACKWELL.

Dorchester, Mass., March 24, 1910.

"MY COUNTRY, 'TIS OF THEE!"

Far-waned was the frail Winter afternoon;
Far-called the slant shafts the parting sun sent
Through the rich windows, and o'er each small brow
A brooding, reluctant, dim rainbow bent;
Purple and primrose and crimson entwined
In halos above each meek little head—
Tiny tangled polls of flaxen and brown,
Bowed grave 'neath the prayer words the preacher said:
It was Children's Service, and eagerly
The little ones listened, and sang and sang—
To the topmost niche of the vaulted roof
Their candid praises all jubilant rang!

They sang of the beautiful Friend they have
In the Man who walked sad Judea's hills;
Of the tender Arms that enshield them safe
From all of life's dreadful sorrows and ills;
They sang of that poor stranded sailor man
Pulling for the shore in an angry sea,
And then—as, bravely the noble words winged!—
Then they sang, "My Country, 'Tis of Thee!"
Beneath their light voices, the organ tones
Throbbed like a faithful heart, mighty to bear,
And the mullioned shadows, with half-shut eyes,
Harkened in silence, pregnant with prayer.

Oh, the unsullied passion of that hour!
The valiant promise that welled, glad and grand,
From each proud little heart, uplift with pain—
A conquering march through a prostrate land!—
Oh, that clarion singing! Wave on wave
It surged to the steps of the spirit's throne,
And o'er the bright waters, in shade and in sun,
Waved one only banner, august and alone!
Oh, that clarion singing! High and keen
It pierced the far blue where the good God reigns—
With exultant clamor, down at His feet,
It poured Humanity's last-broken chains!

ENVOY.

Never again in the gold-builded ways
Will I be so worthy to die;
Never again will so stainless a flag
Flutter wide 'gainst so pure a sky!
Would God that some altar had opened then—
Some kind, flaming Death struck free,
As the children sang, in the rainbowed light,
"My Country, 'Tis of Thee!"

H. REA WOODMAN.

GUILTY OF TAKING REBATES.

Plea Entered by Adrian Gips of Holland-America Line.

Adrian Gips, the General Agent of the Holland-America Steamship Line in this country, pleaded guilty before Judge Holt in the United States Circuit Court yesterday to indictments charging a violation of the Hepburn law in receiving rebates from railroad companies. The plea was entered to one count in each of two indictments charging the receiving of rebates from the Wabash and Central Vermont Railroads on specific shipments.

United States District Attorney Wise agreed to accept the plea, and then asked Judge Holt to impose a substantial punishment. The court imposed a fine of $2,000 in each case, making $4,000 in all.

The Hepburn law provides for a $20,000 fine and imprisonment as well. It was said by Charles Burlingham, of counsel for Gips, that the agreement was made while the Elkins law was in effect and before the Hepburn law was passed. There was no denial, however, that rebates had been received by the Holland-America Company since the Hepburn law was passed.

There was a question, Mr. Burlingham said, whether the steamship company could be regarded as a shipper, but instead of carrying the case to the highest courts he had advised Mr. Gips that the easiest way out was to plead as he had done. He assured the court that it would never happen again.

Fifty or more counts were contained in all the indictments found.

The Holland-America, as United States District Attorney Wise explained, accepted freight in Europe for interior points of destination here and got its refunds from the railroads it favored in the shipments.

The other men under indictment are: David O. Ives, President of the Boston Merchants' Association Board of Transportation, formerly Traffic Manager of the Wabash Railroad; Robert Burnap, formerly Traffic Agent of the Central Vermont Railroad; William C. Maxwell, General Traffic Manager of the Wabash; William F. Schmitt, formerly Freight Agent of the Wabash and now Western representative of the Missouri Pacific & Iron Mountain Railroad.

SPRING FEVER IN THE BREEZE.

And Yesterday All New York Dreamed of Cows and Lakes and Trees.

Yesterday the fever hit us, such as comes with Spring and Love. Yesterday a livelier garment changed upon the Broadway dove.

All New York got up a-yawning, with a hankering for trees, while the traveler from Jersey came to town without a sneeze. Yes, indeed, the fever got us, just as once a year it does, and New York forgot to hurry; traffic had a softer buzz.

On the piers along the river, on the benches in the park, babies, swains, and 'longshore loafers, dozed or read or spooned till dark. Spring was come, both calendarly and by feelings we all know—such as Carman wrote for April, "when the sap begins to flow"; when the boss is long at luncheon, when stenographers do primp, when for joy (with baseball in it) hankereth the office imp; when THE TIMES reporter ordered of the Spring a tale to write, winds the spring of his typewriter to an effervescent height, (and he climbs a prose Parnassus to the copydesk's—delight?)

Yesterday the railroad folder, with its pictured lake and wood, stayed the languid passer's footsteps. Painted trees looked mighty good! Yesterday the little sparrows twittered in the building's eaves, while in Union Square and elsewhere Spring gave promise of new leaves.

Spring was come; no doubt about it. Overcoats and rubber shoes seemed in limbo for the season, and the sexes lunched in twos; for the man who runs the weather handed out a brand to please, and when asked about it, chuckled, and gave out this Springtide wheeze:

From to-day all indication
Points to Springtime being nigh.
For the rest, all information
Forecasts Summer—bye and bye!

That dear youth, the office urchin, stirred by fancies of the Spring, to the boss's secretary penned this deep, delicious thing:

Spring is calm! All hale, fair crechure!
Yure a peach in evry feture.
Baseball starts about the fourteent.
Say I'm sick about the toiteent!

Easter Sunday comes to-morrow, when the Avenue will blaze. In the streets they're selling lilies, harbingers of Springy days. But 'twas yesterday it hit us—fever of the Spring and Love. Yesterday a livelier garment changed upon the Broadway dove.

RECORD HEAT IN BOSTON.

Thermometer Reaches 77, Highest March Mark, and Citizens Swelter.

BOSTON, March 25.—Winter-clad Bostonians sweltered to-day in Summer temperatures. At 10 A. M. the mercury stood at 72, a record breaker for that hour on a March day in Boston.

The official thermometer on top of the Federal Building touched 77 at 1 P. M., breaking all local records for March. On the street the temperature was several degrees higher.

It has been warm for several days, but no such temperature as that of to-day was approached.

Warmest March Day in Forty Years.

The mercury climbed to 77 degrees yesterday afternoon, and yesterday will go down in the records of the local Weather Bureau as the warmest March day of which there is mention in the forty years the bureau has been keeping records. The toop temperature was 77 degrees, at 2 P. M. The highest temperature for March hitherto was 75 degrees, in 1907 and 1908. But a cold wave, reported yesterday over the Middle West, is on its way here.

STRONGER BRIDGE NEEDED.

Williamsburg Structure to be Put in Shape for Heavy Subway Cars.

Bridge Commissioner Martin appeared before the Corporate Stock Budget Committee of the Board of Estimate yesterday and was questioned about his recent statement that nearly $1,000,000 would have to be spent for strengthening the Williamsburg Bridge.

"About $700,000 will have to be spent to strengthen the bridge before the subway trains of the proposed Broadway-Lafayette Avenue line can pass over it," said the Commissioner. "The bridge should be reinforced by two supporting towers under each land span and supporting towers under each end of the central span."

Commissioner Martin said that it might prove necessary to discontinue the running of elevated trains over the bridge after the subway trains began running over it.

LONG ISLAND CANAL PLANS.

Bill in to Authorize Surveys of Proposed Flushing-Jamaica Waterway.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, March 25.—In the Assembly to-day Mr. Wilsnack of Queens introduced a bill authorizing the State Engineer to prepare surveys and plans for the construction of an artificial waterway, with terminal facilities, to connect Flushing Bay, on the North Shore of Long Island, with Jamaica Bay, on the South Shore of Long Island, by way of Flushing Creek. The bill directs that a report on plans and the estimated cost be presented to the Legislature in 1911. The waterway is intended for the accommodation of canal barges and freight-carrying vessels used on the inland waters of the State.

Lindon Bates, Jr., of New York introduced in the Assembly to-day a bill amending the penal law by making it a misdemeanor, punishable by imprisonment or fine, to advertise a sale as a receiver's sale if no receiver competent to conduct such sale has been appointed by a State or Federal court.

THE TOWN A-BLOOM FOR EASTER SUNDAY

A Walk Up Fifth Avenue in the Last Two Days Was a Perfumed Treat.

CHURCHES ARE ALL READY

Elaborate Musical Programmes Arranged for Morning Services—College Students Hurry Home.

No one can overlook the fact that Easter is upon the city. All sorts of signs announce the celebration of the end of Lent. The Weather Bureau could not hazard a forecast yesterday as to the weather for Sunday, but those interested took consolation from the recollection that most Easters in New York are bright and fair.

The town is filling up with young men, whose clothes and bearing announce, "I am a university student." The Grand Central and other railway stations have a collegiate atmosphere these days. The colleges and universities are sending to New York for the Easter vacation not only thousands of young men and women who live here, but also many thousands more, who, on the way to their homes in other States, stop here for a day or so to see the sights.

All the flower shops proclaim the coming of Easter through their gorgeous display of newly opened buds. Many of them have used areas or sidewalks to exhibit rows of potted plants blooming in Spring luxuriance. It was a perfumed treat to walk up Fifth Avenue yesterday afternoon.

The city will not have as many Bermuda lilies this Easter as usual. The crop down there is a little late this year, and Easter comes a little early. The Oceana brought in 30,000 buds packed away in cotton yesterday, but all the other Bermuda steamers will come in after Easter.

The postcard men are offering new cards more or less suitable to the season, and the knickknack and novelty dealers have laid in supplies of Easter ideas caught in plaster of paris and attractive prints.

The hotels are already pretty well filled with out-of-town visitors who intend to spend Easter in the city, and more are to come. Five hundred Canadians left Ottawa Thursday afternoon bound for New York. The local Canadian papers noted the fact mournfully, estimating that they would spend not less than $35,000 in New York over Easter.

These excursionists came on ten-day tickets, which were sold at reduced prices. Others will come in to-day, and it will be the end of next week before the visiting Canadians leave the city. They, in common with other visitors from out of town, will put in the week shopping and sightseeing.

As for the folks who sell the things that make Easter a joyful day for the women and a not unpleasant day for the men—tailors, milliners, dressmakers, and the like—they have had their turn for this season. Sartorially, New York is ready now to parade along Fifth Avenue.

All the city's churches have prepared for Easter, and judging by the public interest in the services in Holy Week the churches will be thronged on Sunday.

St. Patrick's Cathedral has an elaborate programme for Easter services. It will have low masses and holy communion at 6, 7, 8, and 9 in the morning, and at 11 o'clock pontifical mass, with this programme:

Processional, "Come Ye Faithful"	Lissan
Proper of the Mass	Gregorian
Ordinary of the Mass	Ungerer
Kyrie, Gloria, Credo for Soli, Chorus, Orchestra.	
Offertory, "Haec Dies"	Riga
Postlude, march, "Reine de Saba"	Gounod

Sermon...The Rev. John H. O'Rourke, S. J. "The Church and the Risen Christ."

Pontifical vespers come at 4 in the afternoon, with this programme:

Psalms of the day	Gregorian
Magnificat	III Tone Harmonized
Regina Coeli	O'Connor
O Salutaris	Becker
Tantum Ergo	Liszt
Postlude, Finale from Senti	Bartlett

Here is the musical programme for the morning and afternoon services at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine:

11 A. M.

Kyrie, Creed, Sanctus, and Gloria in Excelsis in C	Martin
Anthem, "Hallelujah! Christ is Risen"	Steane

4 P. M.

Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis in G	Martin
Anthem, "God Hath Appointed a Day"	Tours

St. Thomas's morning service will have this music:

Prelude—	
(a) Festive March	Calkin
(b) Andante Religioso	Thome
Processional Hymn 113	Sibelius
Anthem—"Christ Our Passover"	Macfarlane
Te Deum in G	Calkin
Jubilate Deo, Chant.	
Hymn 121	Palestrina
Kyrie Litany and Gloria Tibi.	
Hymn 112	Carey
Offertory Anthem	Homer N. Bartlett
Hymn 228	Monk
Sanctus in C.	
Amen, Fourfold	Macfarlane
Gloria, Old Chants.	
Nunc Dimittis, Chant.	
Recessional Hymn 368	Wesley

The afternoon music, beginning at 4 o'clock, follows:

Prelude—	
(a) "Alleluia"	Dubois
(b) "In Paradisum"	Dubois
Processional Hymn 113	Sibelius
Magnificat in G	Stanford
Nunc Dimittis in E	White
Hymn 125	Dykes
Offertory Anthem—"God Hath Appointed a Day"	Tours
Anthem—Hallelujah ("Messiah")	Handel
Recessional Hymn 457	Parker
Postlude—Largo (harp and organ)	Handel

The Church of the Incarnation, Madison Avenue and Thirty-fifth Street, which will have Sunday School carols Easter afternoon at 4 o'clock, will have this musical programme for its Eastern morning service, beginning at 11 o'clock:

Prelude—"Spring Song"	Lemare
Te Deum in C	Gadsby
Introit—"Welcome, Happy Morning"	Shackley
Kyries	Gounod and Haydn
Offertory—"Song of Victory"	Hiller
Sanctus (Messe Solennelle)	Gounod
Postlude, "Hosanna"	Wachs

The Church of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, 447 West Fifty-first Street, will have especially elaborate Easter services, partly in celebration of the thirty-fourth anniversary of the founding of the parish and the rededication of the church, which has been practically rebuilt. Mgr. Mooney, the pastor, will officiate for the first time as a Prothonotary Apostolic, an office recently conferred upon him by Pope Pius in recognition of the work he has accomplished as Vicar General.

Attendance upon religious services this Lent in New York has been 15 per cent. larger than it has ever been before, and churchmen say that reports from other cities indicate that the season has been marked by the same religious zeal there. It is noted that an increasingly large number of Presbyterian, Baptist, and Methodist churches have observed Lent in some measure this year.

Several days this week old Trinity has not been able to hold all those who wanted to attend the noonday service, and at old St. Paul's the attendance has far exceeded the standing room on several days, notably last Tuesday.

A number of churchmen coming to New York to assist with services toward the end of this week have spoken about the increasing use of theatres for noonday Lenten services. They say that their use attracts to the services a number of people because of their lack of formality.

CORNELL DEBATERS GO WEST.

Will Meet Speakers of Southern California University in Los Angeles.

Special to The New York Times.

ITHACA, N. Y., March 25.—A Cornell debating team, which will meet a team from the University of Southern California,nia, left to-day on the longest trip ever taken by any university debating team, and one of the longest trips ever under taken by any student organization. The debate with the Southern California team will be held in Los Angeles on April 5.

The Cornell Alumni of Southern California are supporting the scheme, and it is through their efforts that the debate was arranged.

The Cornell speakers are C. R. Hugins of Binghamton, S. H. Brown of Buffalo and J. C. O'Brien of Rochester. The question to be debated is the commission form of government.

HAMMERSTEIN TELLS OF LOSSES IN OPERA

But Has Satisfaction of Knowing That Others Have Lost More.

BIG CROWD FOR GALA NIGHT

Selections from Many of the Operas and Concert Airs Bringing Out All of the Stars.

As has been his custom in past years, Mr. Hammerstein devoted the last Friday evening of his season at the Manhattan Opera House to a gala performance, in which most of the artists of his theatre participated. Last night's bill resembled those of past seasons, in that it was composed of acts from various operas, interlarded with operatic arias. The audience was very large, taxing the capacity of the theatre, and as usual on such occasions Mr. Hammerstein made a speech.

"At the end of each season," he said, "you do me the honor to call me out—perhaps to discover if I am still alive, if I have any hair left, or whether my hair has turned whiter. The past season has been a very disastrous one financially. There has been a deluge of opera from all directions. However, I have the satisfaction of knowing that the others have lost more money than I have. Of course, I shall remain in the field, and next season, if you continue to give me your aid, I shall give opera on a larger scale than before even."

The programme included the first act of "Les Contes d'Hoffmann," sung by Mme. Cavalieri, Miss Gentle, and Messrs. Devries, Renaud, de Grazia, and Leroux; the first scene of the third act of "Herodiade," sung by Mme. d'Alvarez and Mr. Vallier; the second act of "Samson et Dalila," with Mme. Doria, who replaced Mme. Gerville-Reache at the last moment, and Messrs. Dalmorès and Dufranne; the fourth act of "Romeo et Juliette," with Miss Garden and Messrs. Dalmorès, Dufranne, Huberdeau, and Mme. Duchene; the first act of "Herodiade," with Mmes. Cavalieri and d'Alvarez and Messrs. Lucas, Renaud, and Vallier, and the prison scene from "Faust," with Miss Garden and Messrs. Dalmorès and Huberdeau.

Those who appeared in concert airs between the acts of the operas were Messrs. Sammarco, Gilibert, McCormack, Crabbé, and Harrold, and Mmes. Mazarin and Trentini. The orchestra was conducted in turn by Messrs. de la Fuente, Charlier, and Nicosia. When he first appeared in the director's chair Mr. de la Fuente was greeted with a fanfare from the orchestra, and received an enormous wreath. The audience applauded the proceedings vociferously from beginning to end.

BACH'S PASSION MUSIC.

The Oratorio Society Closes Its Season with a Good Friday Performance.

The Oratorio Society, under the direction of Dr. Frank Damrosch, brought its thirty-seventh season to a close last evening with a performance of Bach's "Passion According to St. Matthew." It was the third consecutive season in which the work has been given by the Oratorio Society. The record is one of high purpose, and the purpose is a badge of honor to the society and its conductor. It is an excellent thing to give a performance of this, one of the noblest, most beautiful and touching of all great choral works in Passion Week. But it would be a still more excellent thing to give a truly fine, vital, eloquent performance of it, thoroughly studied, wholly understood, perfectly mastered by all those who take part in it. It is regretful to have to say that last evening's performance was not such a one.

The singing of the chorus was not always lifted above the perfunctory. Its attacks were sometimes uncertain; the second and third notes of entrances and phrases were usually given with more confidence and sung by more singers than the first. Nor was the singing always marked by positive and clear-cut rhythm or by life and animation and the thrill of enthusiasm. The orchestra was at times sluggish. The flutes and oboes in those obbligato passages that Bach loved to associate with the solo voices, were admirably played. There was one of those pianos modified to imitate the harpsichord, that are much in favor now in the performance of the older music, used in the accompaniment, and its effect was excellent. The organ was, of course, also used in the accompaniment.

The solo singers were not all thoroughly at home in their music and the style of it. Miss Janet Spencer, contralto, and George Hamlin, tenor, who has the long and arduous part of the evangelist, were most successful, though Mr. Hamlin's voice had not all its fullness and vibrancy. But he declaimed with appropriate expression, without sentimentalizing perfectly plain narrative passages, and enunciated so that all he sang could be understood. Mr. Biden, baritone, to whom falls the music of Jesus, might have taken a suggestion from Mr. Hamlin. His singing and declamation were heavy, uniformly overburdened with solemnity, and afflicted with excessive portamento effects. Mr. Witherspoon in the bass passages was excellent; there was much to be wished for in beauty of vocal quality, steadiness of tone, and mastery of the significance of Bach's music on the part of Mrs. Jane Osborn-Hannah, who sang the soprano part.

THE CIRCUS CROWDED.

Gen. Miles and Miss Billie Burke in the Second Day Audiences.

Twice yesterday the circus in Madison Square Garden was filled to capacity. Though it was only the second day of the season the performers were working with the ease and confidence of long practice. The circus had struck its steady season gait.

The Roosevelt burlesque caravan is the best-received funny hit, but there are others. One of the most popular of the young army of clowns is dressed like a stork, carrying with him a huge wicker basket in which are dummy triplets. He exercises the stork's privilege in selecting those to whom he will offer his burden.

An up-to-date clown is Chantecler. He appears a rooster of charming mien, but there is no pheasant to whom he can make love. There is a goose, but she is so busy drawing a doll cart that she can't give Chantecler any of her company.

Among those present last night were Gen. Nelson A. Miles, who never misses a circus, with his party, and Miss Billie Burke, with her party. She was almost born into the circus, for her father in his day was a famous clown.

"La Boheme" and "Coppelia" Given.

The double bill of "La Bohème" and the first act of "Coppelia" was given last night at the Metropolitan Opera House. Puccini's opera was sung by Miss Farrar, Miss Alten, and Messrs. Bonci, Didur, Pini-Corsi, Scotti, and de Segurola. In the ballet the Russian dancers, Mordkin and Pavlowa, appeared. Mr. Podesti conducted both opera and ballet. The audience was large.

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SOCIAL NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Wilkes Cary are at Nice, where they motored from Florence. It is not their intention to return to America for six or seven months. Mrs. Cary was Mrs. Marie D. Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Claflin will leave for Lakewood next Friday, where they will remain until the middle of May, when they will probably go abroad. They will spend part of the Summer at Southampton.

Mrs. James Brown and her daughter, Miss Angelica Schuyler Brown, plan going to Newport the middle of July. Mrs. Brown is at her town house recovering from a slight illness.

Mrs. Frank Morgan Freeman will spend the week-end at Great Neck, L. I. Miss Louise Freeman, who has been spending a fortnight at Bermuda, will return to town on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Moorehead Thomas (Miss Blanche Oelrichs) are returning to-day from St. Augustine. They will be at the St. Regis before leaving for Newport early next month.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin H. Weatherbee are sailing to-day for a short trip abroad.

Mrs. Cornelius Du Bois will give a large luncheon on April 4.

Among those at the luncheon given by Miss Carlisle yesterday for Mr. and Mrs. Julian Estrange (Constance Collier) were Governor General Grey of Canada, Mrs. John Corbin, Miss Severing, Forbes-Robertson, Sherrill Schell, Herbert Bedford, and Norman Roe.

The Rubinstein Club will hold a musical in the Astor Gallery of the Waldorf-Astoria on Saturday, April 9, at 2 o'clock and a concert in the ballroom on the evening of April 12.

There was a meeting last night of the Friday evening Roller Skating Club at the Metropolitan Rink.

The St. Cecilia Club will give a concert in the grand ballroom of the Waldorf-Astoria on Tuesday, March 29.

AVIATION FETE FOR THE BLIND.

Ten Nations to Be Represented in Butterfly Ballet at the Astor.

The Grande Fete d'Aviation, to be held on Monday evening at the Hotel Astor under the auspices of the New York Association for the Blind, will include many attractive features. Augustus Post of the Aero Club will give the opening talk as the moving pictures are shown, and there will be special features by Miss Ethel Barrymore, the actress; Charles Battell Loomis, the humorist, and Miss Annie Russell of The New Theatre. All of these have volunteered their services, as well as the fifty who take part in the Butterfly ballet. The ten nations which take part in this ballet are represented by France, (artist,) Gerald Seabury; Austro-Hungary, (soldier,) Eldridge Thomas; Italy, (gondolier,) Roland Holt; Russia, George H. Bartholomew; Great Britain, ("John Bull,") Francis Ehrick Ward; Germany, (Heidelberg student,) Michael Stillman; Japan, Thomas Jewitt Hallowell; Switzerland, John K. Barrett; Spain, (toreador,) Roland Palmer; and United States, ("Uncle Sam,") Walter R. Jones. Cupid will be represented by Miss Anna Henry.

The Chantecler ballet follows the Butterfly ballet, and will be composed of Howard S. Borden, Chairman; Latham Reed, Stephen Barker, Henry Smith, Alexander Perry, Sterling T. Foote, Henry H. Bartol, Henry Quinby, Howard Peck, F. Raymond Lefferts, Jr., M. Philip Parks, Langdon Geer.

Boxes have been taken by Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, Levi P. Morton, Mrs. Elbert Gary, Mrs. Daniel Butterfield, Mrs. Seth Low, and others. Mayor Gaynor is to be special guest. A few of the best boxes may be had on application to the Executive Secretary, Mrs. M. R. Sherwood, 118 East Fifty-ninth Street, to whom all communications should be addressed. Some very good, smaller boxes at moderate prices are yet unsold. Single reserved box seats may be had for $5 each, not including the ticket of admission.

NEW MUSICAL ART INSTITUTE.

Exercises of Laying of Cornerstone to be Held This Afternoon.

Many persons prominent in financial, educational, and musical circles will attend this afternoon the laying of the corner stone of the new building of the Institute of Musical Art, at 122d Street and Claremont Avenue Frank Damrosch is Director of the institute and Cornelius N. Bliss, Jr., James M. Beck, and Isaac N. Seligman are on its Board of Trustees. Mrs. Paul M. Warburg, wife of the Treasurer of the institute, will lay the corner stone. Addresses will be made by the Rev. Thomas Cumming Hall, D. D., and Mr. Damrosch, whose chorus will sing an excerpt from Richard Wagner's "Die Meistersinger." The institute was organized in the Spring of 1905. It is now housed at Fifth Avenue and Twelfth Street.

Among the guests invited to the corner stone laying are Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Schiff, Prof. and Mrs. Morris Loeb, President John H. Finley of the City College, President Nicholas Murray Butler of Columbia, President Woodrow Wilson of Princeton, the Rev. Francis Brown, President of the Union Theological Seminary; Eugene A. Philbin, the Directors of the Oratorio Society and the Musical Art Society, and Prof. Horatio Parker of Yale.

Fearing-Iselin Wedding Plans.

Preparations have been completed for the wedding of Miss Margaret M. Iselin, daughter of Mrs. Francis Le Roy Satterlee, of 6 West Fifty-sixth Street, to William H. Fearing, which takes place on April 12 in Grace Church, Broadway and Tenth Street. Miss Mary Fowler will be the bride's only attendant, and Mr. Fearing's best man will be his brother, Frederick Fearing. His ushers are to be Philip W. Livermore, Roland W. Smith, Lawrence L. Gillespie, Horton Perkins, George Mifflin Wharton, Alfred Beatty and Beverley Robinson. The Rev. Mr. Norris will officiate at the ceremony, after which there will be a reception at the residence of Mrs. Satterlee. Mr. Fearing will give his bachelor dinner at Delmonico's on April 9.

Mrs. Waldorf Astor Arrives.

Among the passengers who arrived here yesterday on the Lusitania was Mrs. Waldorf Astor, who was formerly one of the five Langhorne sisters of Virginia. Mrs. Astor said that she expected to be in New York for five or six weeks, and then go Soupth to see her family. She said with a smile that all the interviews necessaray for the passengers on the Lusitania had been given out by Sir Ernest Shackleton.

"I heard him lecture on Wednesday night in the saloon," she said, "and the pictures he showed, with his description of the journey, almost made me want to go to the south pole myself."

Benefit for Crippled Children.

A tea will be given on April 2 at 15 West Twenty-eighth Street by an organization of young women known as the Junior Workers for the benefit of the Free School for Crippled Children. The young women in charge of the arrangements are the Misses Clara Greenhut, Kate Fishel, Florence Goldman, Gella Mayer, Etta Heller, Gladys Deutsch, and Carrie Weil.

Normal College Settlement Benefit.

The Junior League will give a benefit for the Normal College Alumnae Settlement and its extension fund at the Knickerbocker Theatre next Friday afternoon, April 1. The entertainment will consist of several plays by Seumas MacManus, interpolated with Irish songs and dances. Miss Carol Harriman is in charge of the affair. The proceeds will be divided between the extension fund of the settlement and the supporting work of the organization.

Miss Clarke to Wed R. M. Lawton.

The engagement is announced of Miss Edith Cornelia Clarke, daughter of Samuel B. Clarke and the late Mrs. Clarke of 1 West Eighty-first Street, to Richard Mack Lawton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Mack Lawton of Lowell, Mass. Miss Clarke has a brother, Roger H. Clarke. No date has been set for the wedding.

Boardman-Calef Wedding on June 8.

The wedding of Miss Anne Calef, daughter of Mrs. Benjamin S. Calef of Boston, to Francis Boardman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Boardman of New York, will take place on June 8 in Trinity Church, Boston.

GREGORY—DEXTER.

The engagement is announced of Miss Manon Howe Gregory of Brookline, Mass., daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. William F. Gregory of Framingham, Mass., to Wallace Dunbar Dexter, Jr., also of Brookline. No date has been set for the wedding.

BECK BACK FROM EUROPE.

Organizes with Butt a Circuit Giving Three Years' Consecutive Booking.

Martin Beck, general manager of the Orpheum Vaudeville Circuit, returned to New York on the Lusitania yesterday, after perfecting the organization in Europe of an international vaudeville circuit. He was accompanied by Mark A. Luescher of his staff.

While in London, Mr. Beck, in association with Alfred Butt of the Palace Theatre, organized what will be called the Variety Theatre Controlling Company, which will operate all of the vaudeville houses formerly controlled by the Barrasford interests and the Gibbons and the De Frese circuits. These theatres include hippodromes in Brighton, Liverpool, Leeds, Hull, Birmingham, Portsmouth, Southend, Margate, Boscombe, Southampton, Colchester, Bolton, St. Helens, Sheffield, Nottingham, and Blackburn; the Alhambra, Paris, France; the Palace, Manchester; the Empire, Wolverhampton; the Opera House, Tunbridge Wells; the Grand, Bristol; the Empire, Aberdeen, and the Pavilion, Newcastle-on-Tyne, as well as the Palace, London, and the new Alhambra, Glasgow.

All of these theatres will in turn affiliate with the vaudeville circuits in the United States, including the Orpheum, the Kohl and Castle, the Anderson and Ziegler, Frank Tate and Herman Fehr, the United Booking Offices, the latter including most of the theatres in the East.

Besides these Mr. Beck and his associates have arranged for the erection of a new theatre in Berlin and houses in Vienna, Cologne, and Hamburg will be joined to the new circuit. With this new arrangement in operation it will be possible to give vaudeville performers three years' consecutive booking in this country and in Europe.

William Gillette to Sail for London.

William Gillette will sail this morning on the Cedric for a consultation with Charles Frohman in London, where he will remain until time to begin his tour in a repertoire of his old plays. The repertoire, it has been decided, will consist of "Sherlock Holmes," "Secret Service," "Held by the Enemy," "Too Much Johnson," and "Clarice," in which Marie Doro will appear for a limited number of performances in the rôle she originated.

J. K. Hackett in "Monsieur Beaucaire."

James K. Hackett's first New York appearance in "Monsieur Beaucaire" will be at the West End Theatre on Monday evening, April 4. Mr. Hackett's supporting company will include Arthur Hoops, Roy Clement, Vaughan Trevor, Robert V. Ferguson, M. J. Harriman, Edward Foland, H. Eric Jewett, George K. Rowlands, Joseph Sweeney, Harold Anstruther, Beatrice Beckley, Grace Barbour, Nina Herbert, Dorothy Quincy, Ethel Vandeveer, Nathalie Jerome, and Alice Maule.

Nazimova's Cast for "Little Eyolf."

The company that will support Mme. Alla Nazimova in Ibsen's "Little Eyolf" has been engaged by the Shuberts, and is now rehearsing the play. The complete cast will be as follows: Mrs. Rita Allmers, Mme. Nazimova; Asta Allmers, Ida Conquest; Alfred Allmers, Brandon Tynan; Eyolf, Master George Tobin; the Rat Wife, Gertrude Berkeley; Engineer Borgheim, Robert Haines.

"Parsifal" Again at Metropolitan.

"Parsifal" received its third performance this season at the Metropolitan Opera House yesterday morning, and another large audience gathered to hear the "consecrational festival play." Mr. Whitehill found himself too hoarse to sing, and he was replaced by Mr. Forsell. Mr. Jörn sang the title part. Mme. Fremstad again appeared as Kundry, and Mr. Hertz conducted.

ON THE ATLANTIC HIGHWAY.

Baron and Baroness De Graffenried Among Those Sailing To-Day.

The transatlantic steamships sailing today and some of those boked to depart on them are:

KOENIG ALBERT, (Naples.)—Mr. and Mrs. Julius Barkhouse, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Batton, Mrs. Emma J. Cates, John W. A. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Detwiller, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fox, Mme. James Jackson, Mrs. Orlando S. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Kingsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. May, George S. Payson, Mrs. M. F. Plaut, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pope, Charles S. Street, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Warfield, Prof. R. E. Welsh, Sir Charles Wyndham, and Miss Grace E. Young.

AMERIKA, (Hamburg.)—Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Ashman, Mrs. William M. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Beckley, Mrs. William H. Crocker, Mr. and Mrs. Emil de Soto, Lieut. Carl Florman, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Hicks, Mme. Lydia Lipkowska, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moos, E. Portela, Argentine Minister at Washington; Mrs. Charles H. Steinway, George Lee Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Weatherbee, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus W. Weeks, Baron Waechter, and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Woodruff.

OCEANIC, (Southampton.)—Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Bacon, Miss Sarah R. Baldwin, Col. S. J. Butler, Mrs. F. Godfrey Byrd, Mrs. James Donald Cameron, Baron and Baroness Leo de Graffenried, Col. J. C. Hanford, Mrs. Herbert Parsons, Mrs. W. D. Post, J. W. Southack, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Vallois, and George Yalour.

LAPLAND, (Antwerp.)—Mrs. Francis C. Barlow, Major Gustavo G. Berger, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley J. Case, Dr. and Mrs. Andre Crotti, Chauncey M. Depew, Jr., Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Ewald, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Fairbanks, T. Preston Gardner, Mrs. H. E. Howland, Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Lavinder, Richard E. Peebles, Major Sanders, C. W. Ure, and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. del Valle Yznaga.

MINNEAPOLIS, (London.)—Mrs. John M. Adams, Sir Alexander and Lady Bruce, Mrs. Gordon Chrysler, Mrs. W. H. Cross, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur C. Fish, Mrs. Urquhart Lee, Mr. and Mrs. George P. Rockwell, Mrs. Robert Cade Wilson, and Walter T. Willett.

CEDRIC, (Liverpool.)—Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Bardswell, Prof. and Mrs. E. D. Burton, Sir Richard and Lady Butler, Charles A. Dingwall, William Gillette, William H. H. Keeler, Mrs. Rowland B. F. Peacock, Mrs. Isaac Robinson, Arthur T. Shand, Mrs. William Bruce, and R. W. Williamson.

Some of the arrivals yesterday from Europe were:

LUSITANIA (Liverpool)—The Rev. Joseph G. Anderson, Mrs. Waldorf Astor, T. S. Barbour, Martin Beck, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bennett, H. Bleasly, E. P. Benjamin, Mrs. H. W. J. Bucknall, Mr. and Mrs. T. Bayard, Wade Chance, Miss Caroline Cooke, B. W. Crowninshield, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Cunningham, J. F. Darling, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dyer, Baron Paul Forster, Austro-Hungarian Consul to Pittsburg; W. de la Guardia, Consul General for Costa Rica in London; David and Isaac Guggenheim, George A. Harwood, Miss Nellie Hurn, Miss W. Scott James, Mr. and Mrs. H. Van Rensselaer Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kerwick, M. F. Kindersley, Irwin Laughlin, Lady Victoria Murray, A. F. de Navarro, Mrs. William Osler, William A. Prime, Charles F. Robinson, Alex Morton Shaw, Mrs. T. H. Talmage, Claude Vantin, Mrs. A. S. Woolsey, Count Von Moltke, Baroness L. Von Colberg, Mr. and Mrs. T. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Whatmough, R. J. Weil, W. H. Young, Miss Ruth Winsor, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Willey, Mrs. A. S. Woolsey, and Sir Ernest and Lady Shackleton.

HUDSON TOWNS CONSOLIDATE.

Fishkill Landing and Matteawan Will Take a New Name Because of Asylum.

FISHKILL LANDING, N. Y., March 25.—At a special election to-day in Matteawan and Fishkill Landing the electors of the two villages voted 3 to 1 to consolidate as a city. A charter will be drafted and presented to the Legislature.

For fifty years the interests of both villages have been identical, and at intervals the question of a merger has been submitted and defeated. By to-day's vote, however, not only do the separate identities of Matteawan and Fishkill Landing cease, but both their names will disappear from the map and a new name, not yet selected, will be chosen hereafter.

This is from a desire to be associated no longer with Matteawan State Hospital for the Criminal Insane.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Hedwig Reicher will sail on the Amerika to-day to spend the Summer in Europe. She will look at two or three new plays, with the idea of obtaining them for use in this country.

Sir Charles Wyndham has ended his American season, and sailed yesterday on the Koenig Albert for Naples. After a rest in Italy he will return to London for his season there.

E. J. Ratcliffe, lately leading man with Mrs. Leslie Carter, has been engaged by Daniel Frohman to support Charles Cherry in "Spitfire," which will be produced at the Lyceum Theatre following Mrs. Fiske's engagement there. Mr. Ratcliffe was formerly a member of Mr. Frohman's old Lyceum stock company.

The attraction to follow Hattie Williams in "The Girl He Couldn't Leave Behind Him" at the Garrick Theatre will be William H. Crane in "Father and the Boys." This will be Mr. Crane's final appearance in New York, it is said.

The children who took part in the special performance of "Alias Jimmy Valentine" at Wallack's Theatre a week ago are to be entertained by Mrs. James Speyer at a reception to be given in a room at the Lyceum Theatre, donated by Daniel Frohman. Mrs. Speyer says she wishes to thank the children personally for their help in making the matinee a success.

ALL PLATT'S ESTATE GOES TO HIS SONS

Will of Late Senator, Admitted to Probate Yesterday, Makes No Mention of Widow.

VALUE SAID TO BE $200,000

Also Reported That Large Portion of Estate Had Been Transferred to Sons Before Platt's Death.

Special to The New York Times.

OWEGO, N. Y., March 25.—The will of former United States Senator Thomas C. Platt was admitted to probate this forenoon by George F. Andrews, Surrogate of Tioga County. The text is as follows:

> I, Thomas C. Platt of Owego, New York, do make, publish, and declare this to be my last will and testament.
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> First: I nominate and appoint my sons, Edward T., Frank H., and Henry B. Platt, executors of this my will, and I request and direct that they shall not be required to give any bonds or security as executors. I authorize and empower my executors, their survivors and survivor, in their discretion as to time and terms, to lease and sell and convey any and all real estate I may own at my death, hereby giving and granting unto them all power requisite for that purpose.
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> Second: I give, devise, and bequeath all my property, of every kind and character, which I now own or possess, or to which I may be entitled at the time of my death, and wheresoever situated or being, to my sons, Edward T., Frank H., and Henry B. Platt. In case either of my sons should predecease me, then and in such event I give, devise, and bequeath the share he would have taken had he survived me to such persons as would be entitled to the same under the laws of the State of New York had he died intestate, possessed of the same.
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> Third: I hereby revoke all wills by me heretofore made.
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> In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 24th day of November, 1906. (Signed)
>
> THOMAS C. PLATT.

The will was executed at 49 Broadway, New York City, at that time the offices of the United States Express Company. The witnesses were Chauncey H. Crosby, Vice President, and B. Frank Boos, manager of the foreign department of the United States Express Company.

The will was filed by Attorney James T. Crane of New York, and both the witnesses were present in court. Mr. Crane declined to make any statement as to the value of the estate or as to what it consisted of, further than to say that Mr. Platt had no real estate. It is said here by persons who have close relations with the Platt family that the property possessed by the former Senator at the time of his death will not exceed $200,000, and may not amount to more than $125,000. It is believed that a large portion of the property had been transferred to the late Senator's sons some time ago. The widow, Mrs. Lillian J. Platt, who is not mentioned in the will, had signed a waiver with the other heirs at law, so as to allow the will to be admitted to probate at the time of filing.

CLOSE HAVEMEYER ESTATE.

Trustees Seek an Accounting for Sugar Magnate's Heirs.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., March 25.—Papers were filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office here to-day, in an action brought by Louisine W. Havemeyer, Horace Havemeyer, and Adaline H. Frelinghuysen, as executors under the will of Henry O. Havemeyer, against Frederick C. Havemeyer and others, to obtain a settlement of their accounts and for their discharge.

According to the statement of Parson, Closson & McIlvaine, counsel for the plaintiffs, the latter also seek to be discharged from the care of the special trust fund which was left for the benefit of Kate B. Belloni. Frederick C. Havemeyer left a portion of his estate, which amounted to several millions, to his daughter.

Judge Mills has granted an order allowing the plaintiffs to amend their complaint by changing the names of several defendants, among them being Electra Havemeyer, who has been married since the commencement of the action, and whose name is now Electra H. Webb.

Among the defendants named in the suit, which is a friendly one, in addition to those already mentioned, are Sarah L. Jackson, Kate H. Griffin, Katherine H. McLaughlin, Horace Havemeyer, Theodore A. Havemeyer, Jr., and Emily Lee Loosey Havemeyer.

Old Will of Miss Kellogg Filed.

What is known as "the relatives' will" of Anne Grace Kellogg, who died Dec. 27, 1909, at Daytona, Fla., which was filed yesterday, divides her property among her counsins. A later will, leaving all her property to Mary Jeannette Scoville, a masseuse, who attended her during her last illness, which has been filed in Florida, is being contested by the relatives on the grounds of undue influence.

Hollander Estate Worth $407,000.

The appraisal of the estate of Louis Preston Hollander, who died in Boston, May 26, 1909, filed yesterday, shows it to be valued at $407,431, of which $103,940 is subject to taxation here. The will gives his wife the income of the estate for life, and at her death divides it between his children and the issue of his son Samuel, who is disinherited "because of a course of conduct of which I have strongly disapproved."

Patrons of Georgetown Dramatic Club.

The patrons and patronesses of the Georgetown Dramatic Association of Georgetown University, who are to present the comedy, "All the Comforts of Home," in the Astor Gallery of the Waldorf-Astoria on Thursday night, March 31, include Cardinal Gibbons, Archbishop Farley, the editors and Directors of the Catholic Encyclopedia, Maurice F. Egan, Minister to Denmark; W. Bourke Cockran, Charles N. Harris, W. M. Byrne, Supreme Court Judge and Mrs. Martin J. Keogh, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald M. Borden, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Agar, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Shipman, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Conde M. Nast, Mr. and Mrs. Francis M. McAnerney, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Healy, John D. Crimmins, Miss Crimmins, Mr. and Mrs. Conde B. Pallen, Miss Pallen, and the Presidents of Fordham, St. Francis Xavier, Holy Cross, and Georgetown Alumni Associations.

A. F. de Navarro Told of Death at Sea.

A. F. de Navarro, husband of Mary Anderson, formerly well known as an American actress, arrived here yesterday on the Lusitania with the object of being present at the bedside of his mother, whose serious condition had been cabled to him in London. During the trip Mr. de Navarro received the news of her death by wireless.

MUSIC NOTES.

Mme. Lydia Lipkowska of the Boston Opera Company, who has sung several times during the Winter at the Metropolitan Opera House, will sail to-day on the Amerika.

Hermann Epstein will continue his weekly lectures on music at the Hebrew Technical School for Girls until June. On next Monday the subject will be "Die Walkuere."

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LA PLACE COLLECTION SHOWN

Antiques Include a Solid Silver Centrepiece of Period of 1770.

An unusual collection of antiques and articles of vertu is being shown at the American Art Galleries preparatory to a sale lasting all of next week. The collection represents the efforts of E. J. La Place during the last twenty years, and is composed of representative objects from nearly every country and of nearly every century from the fifteenth onward. Yesterday there were many prominent visitors at the galleries, who seemed to find much of interest to see.

One of the interesting articles is a piece of Gobelin tapestry, made in 1735 and officially marked. It is in a perfect state and represents the best of the work of the tapesty artists. A silver centrepiece of the period of 1770 also attracted a good deal of attention. This piece weighs 120 pounds and is of solid silver. The central figure is of St. Hubert, and the stag and the main part is a series of scallops.

The collection of mirrors is said to be the largest ever shown in one group. There are representatives of almost every style popular in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, with plain and carved frames of bronze, brass, silver, and wood. Screens, porcelains, andirons, torchiers in bronze, brass, and carved wood, Dutch and Italian bridal chests, clocks of all sorts, are shown in profusion. There is a parlor suite of Gobelin tapestry in rose and light blue, a carved wood table by Piazze, a bronze Napoleon by Canova, the painter of Eugenie Bonaparte, and hundreds of other objects that can only be appreciated by seeing them.

Among yesterday's visitors were David Belasco, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Young, (Mme. Nordica,) Frank Sabine, Gordon Kellogg, Mrs. R. Hall McCormick, Judge Connors of Cincinnati, Judge Wallace of Albany, Mrs. Oliver Cromwell of Washington, A. D. Irving, Mrs. Samuel C. Davis of St. Louis, Mrs. Lloyd Brice, Mrs. Benjamin Welles, and Mrs. Arthur Sullivan.

WRIGHTS PLAN AERO SCHOOL.

Deny That Morgan Is Behind Movement to Retail Aeroplanes.

Special to The New York Times.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 25.—Airships are for sale at practically the same price as the best makes of automobiles, according to Orville Wright, who is experimenting here with new machines and with some old ones. Mr. Wright offers to deliver an aerial craft to any purchaser for $7,500 with an instructor for a brief period.

Wilbur Wright is expected here at an early date to assist in the experiments at the local station established by the brothers. One object is to start a school for drilling aviators, who, when possessed of diplomas, will be assigned to instruct purchasers of aircraft.

That it is the intention to supply the market with as many airships as there may be a demand for was admitted to-day by Orville Wright, but he denied that J. Pierpont Morgan was interested in the financial backing of such a a proposition as was printed in several Southern papers.

Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson Ill.

MEXICO CITY, March 25.—Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson, widow of the novelist, is ill at her apartments here, due, it is believed, to the high altitude. She arrived Monday from Santa Barbara, Cal. It is not believed her illness is dangerous.

Yosemite Valley's Old Guardian Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.—Galen Clarke, the discoverer of the Mariposa Grove of big trees, and for twenty years guardian of Yosemite Valley, died last night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elvira Lee, in Oakland. Galen Clarke was born in New Hampshire 96 years ago. He went to California in 1853, and four years later while hunting through the woods discovered the giant sequoias. Mr. Clarke numbered among his intimate friends several well-known figures in the West. During the time he served as State Guardian for the Yosemite Valley he met many notable persons, among them being President Taft, and ex-President Roosevelt. Mr. Clarke will be buried in the Yosemite Valley in a tomb which he cut out for himself in a hugh granite rock within a stone's throw of the Yosemite Falls.

Obituary Notes.

Judge F. M. FULK, prominent in political affairs and one of the wealthiest men in Arkansas, is dead at his home in Little Rock of heart disease. Judge Fulk was born in Pickaway County, Ohio.

BURT COX, aged 50 years, one of the most widely known of the old-time United States Marshals in Indian Territory, died at his home near Keystone Thursday. Cox assisted in running down many of the old territory "bad men."

Prof. J. P. SHORTER of Wilberforce University, one of the most prominent negro educators of the country, died in Xenia, Ohio, yesterday. He had been ill for ten days with pneumonia and acute kidney trouble.

JOSEPH J. LYONS, a retired Detective Sergeant of Police, died at his home, 2,807 Avenue F, Brooklyn, on Thursday. He was 79 years old, and had been a member of the police force for thirty years.

PASCAL CALEB BURKE, a volunteer fireman, died at his home in Brooklyn on Thursday. He was born in Windsor, Conn., on July 24, 1836.

Mrs. EMILIE KRIPPENDORF BRAUN, whose father was an artist of repute, died at her home, 305 Humboldt Street, Brooklyn, on Wednesday after an illness of five months.

ROBERT VINTON BELT, at one time Chief of the Indian Division in the office of the Secretary of the Interior and later Assistant Commissioner of Indian Affairs, died in Washington Wednesday at the age of 68.

DANIEL VOSSELER, the oldest citizen of Oxford Township, N. J., is dead at the home of his son, Cyrus Vosseler, in Oxford. Had he lived another month he would have been 90 years old.

HENRY AUGUSTUS TORREY, Assistant Professor of Chemistry at Harvard University, died at his home in Cambridge, Mass., yesterday at the age of 38 years, after an illness of heart trouble. Prof. Torrey was a graduate of the University of Vermont in the class of 1893. He received a degree of Ph. D. from Harvard in 1897. A wife and one child survive.

ARCHIBALD M. MADDOCK, one of the foremost pottery manufacturers in this country, died in Trenton, N. J., yesterday, aged 54 years. He was born in Somerset County, N. J., and at the time of his death was Treasurer of the Thomas Maddock's Sons Company, the Maddock Pottery Company, and of the Jonathan Bartley Crucible Company. Appendicitis was the immediate cause of his death.

A. J. ADAMS, a well-known lawyer and Republican worker of Westchester County, died yesterday of pneumonia at his home in Mount Kisco. He left a widow and children.

Marriage and death notices intended for insertion in The New York Times may be telephoned to 1000 Bryant.

Died.

ADAMS.—March 23. Arthur Thomas Adams, aged 27. Services, Harlem Funeral Parlors, 304 West 126th St., Stephen Merritt Co., Saturday, 12:30.

BISHOP.—Suddenly, at Bridgeport, Conn., March 24, 1910, Sydney Bishop, M. D., in his 62d year. Funeral services will be held in Trinity Episcopal Church, Bridgeport, Conn., Monday, the 28th inst., at 2:30 o'clock P. M. Burial Mountain Grove Cemetery.

COLLINGWOOD.—At Elizabeth, N. J., March 24, 1910, Eliza Whitlock Collingwood, wife of Frances Collingwood and daughter of the late Daniel and Margaret B. Bonnett. Funeral from St. John's Church, Elizabeth, 2 P. M., Saturday, March 26.

de NAVARRO.—On March 21, 1910, Ellen A. Dykers de Navarro, at her residence, 13 West 46th St., New York City, widow of Jose F. de Navarro and daughter of the late John Hudson Dykers of New York City. Funeral Monday, March 28, from St. Patrick's Cathedral, at 9:45 A. M.

DRAKE.—Suddenly, on Friday, March 25, William Rodman Drake of 1,446 57th St., Brooklyn. Funeral Sunday. See Sunday Times.

FOX.—Rachel A. Fox, sister of M. Ewing Fox, in her 81st year, at Bedford Park Boulevard and Perry Av. Funeral private.

HALSTED.—On March 24, 1910, at his late residence, 174 Prospect Place, Brooklyn, George Forrester, son of the late Griffen B. and Mary J. Halsted. Funeral services will be held at his late residence Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers.

KANE.—March 25, at the residence of her brother, A. A. Kane, 165 East 36th St., Mary Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Marriott Kane of Poughkeepsie. Funeral notice later. Philadelphia papers please copy.

KOHN.—David Kohn, in his 79th year, born in Amselberg, Bohemia, for many years a resident of St. Louis, died March 23, at Frankfort-on-Main, Germany.

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LORENZ.—At the residence of her father, Rev. Daniel E. Lorenz, 168 West 81st St., Thursday, March 24th, 1910, of typhoid fever, Helen Hott Lorenz in her nineteenth year. Funeral private.

MacDOWELL.—March 25, 1910, at Hahnemann Hospital, Thomas F. MacDowell of 1,187 Lexington Av., in the 81st year of his age. Funeral at Friends' Meeting House, Rutherford Place and East 15th St., on Monday, March 28, at 1 o'clock.

MAIGNAN.—March 25, Lise, beloved daughter of Edward Maignan. Arangements by FRANK E. CAMPBELL, (THE FUNERAL CHURCH,) West 23d St.

MURPHY.—On March 24, at her home, 511 St. Mary's St., San Antonio, Texas, Janie Gardner Murphy, mother of Edgar Gardner Murphy and Ethel Murphy Tobin, in the 65th year of her age.

NOBLE.—On Wednesday, March 23, 1910, at the residence of her son, Francis Lincoln Noble, 481 Washington Av., Brooklyn, Frances Louisa Noble, daughter of Hezekiah and Emily Day Bush and widow of Charles Noble, in the 78th year of her age. Funeral services at her late residence Saturday, March 26, 1910, at 2:30 P. M.

RUPP.—On March 24, in her 78th year, Margaretha Rupp, at the residence of her daughter, Margaret Bauer, 212 East 62d St. Relatives and friends are invited to the funeral services on Sunday, March 27, 1:30 P. M.

SUTRO.—On Thursday, March 24, 1910, Kathinka Schücking, widow of the late Emil Sutro, at her late residence, Hotel San Remo, New York City. Funeral services at 2 P. M. Sunday, March 27. Baltimore papers please copy.

TRAVIS.—On Saturday, March 26, at her residence, 171 West 76th St., Mary E. Travis, wife of Martin V. B. Travis. Notice of funeral hereafter.

WEBB.—On March 24, at 77 Madison Av., Mary Catherine Webb, daughter of the late James Ferris Webb of New York City. Funeral private.

WYETH.—Suddenly, on March 25, Theresa Judson, wife of William N. Wyeth, daughter of Theresa and the late Benjamin F. Judson. Funeral services at her late residence, 612 West 184th St., Monday, March 28, at 8 P. M. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers.

BARRETT.—Ellen, 608 West 184th St., March 23.

BEE.—Walter, 463 West 57th St., March 23.

BROWN.—Orrin C., 348 West 48th St., March 24, aged 62.

BUTLER.—William F., 169 West End Av., March 23. Funeral to-morrow, 1:30 P. M.

CAIN.—Francis J., 668 8th Av., March 24. Funeral notice later.

EASTON.—Thomas, March 24, aged 72. Funeral 697 3d Av., to-day, 2 P. M.

ECKERT.—Mrs. A. C., Suburban Place, Boston Road, March 24, aged 33.

FLAHERTY.—Laurence, 1,494 2d Av., March 23. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

FLANAGAN.—John, 1,249 Park Av., March 24. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

GRAY.—Francis, 441 East 186th St., March 23, aged 62. Funeral to-day, 1 P. M.

HERSEY.—Nellie E. B., 1,234 Tinton Av., Bronx, March 24. Funeral to-day.

JACOBS.—Edward H., March 24. Funeral 887 10th Av., to-morrow, 2 P. M.

JENKINS.—Emily I., St. Luke's Hospital, March 24. Funeral private.

JONES.—Bassett, March 23. Funeral 241 West 23d St.

KOPLER.—John, 433 West 48th St., March 23.

LORENZ.—Helen H., 168 West 81st St., March 24, aged 20. Funeral private.

McCUTCHAN.—William, 183 East 70th St., March 24, aged 78.

MALONEY.—Margaret, 2,359 1st Av., March 24. Funeral to-morrow, 1 P. M.

MARTIN.—Selina, 363 East 143d St., March 22, aged 67.

MOSSMAN.—John, March 23, aged 67. Funeral 171 8th Av., to-day, 2 P. M.

MULLER.—Gustave C., 338 East 30th St., March 23. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

MURPHY.—Elizabeth, 342 West 22d St., March 24.

NEARY.—Thomas J., 1,361 3d Av., March 24. Funeral notice later.

O'KEEFFE.—John, 1,934 3d Av., March 24, aged 73. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

PURCELL.—Richard J., 539 10th Av., March 24. Funeral to-morrow, 1:30 P. M.

RAUTH.—John, 2,059 Ryer Av., Bronx, March 24, aged 90. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

RAY.—Margaret E., 70 West 107th St., March 24. Funeral to-morrow, 1 P. M.

ROLLE.—William C., 55 West 131st St., March 23.

SEUFERT.—Catharine, 540 East 85th St., March 23. Funeral to-morrow, 1 P. M.

WALTER.—Horace W., St. Luke's Hospital, March 23.

WEBB.—Mary C., 77 Madison Av., March 24. Funeral private.

WICKERSHEIMER.—Philip, March 24. Funeral 336 East 86th St., to-day, 2 P. M.

Brooklyn.

BURKE.—Pachal C., 460A Hancock St., March 24. Funeral service to-day.

FALLEK.—Amelia, 247 Atlantic Av., March 24, aged 65. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

FORNFINNE.—George, 16 Schaffer St., March 23. Funeral to-day, 1 P. M.

FRYE.—Henry A., 264 East 23d St., March 23, aged 47. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

LANG.—Louise A., 677 Quincy St., March 24.

McLAUGHLIN.—James, 740 Evergreen Av., March 24. Funeral to-morrow.

VAN TASSEL.—Elizabeth L., 946 St. Mark's Av., March 24, aged 71. Funeral to-morrow.

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REIS.—Olga, Elmhurst, March 24. Funeral to-morrow, 1:30 P. M.

RUPPERT.—Maria, Woodside, March 23. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

TERRY.—Annie, 907 Boulevard, Long Island City, March 24.

New Jersey.

AERZELONE.—Mary, Elizabeth, March 23, aged 75. Funeral to-day.

BECKER.—Albert B., Passaic, Mar. 23, aged 6.

DOTTERMUSCH.—Margaret A., Rutherford, March 23. Funeral private.

DRAESEMER.—Susanna, 384 Webster Av., Jersey City Heights, March 23, aged 69.

ERBACH.—Louisa, 39 2d St., Hoboken, March 24, aged 81.

HEROLD.—John J., New Brunswick, March 23. Funeral private.

JOHNSON.—Mary A., Arlington, March 24. Funeral March 28, 8 A. M.

KLEENS.—Emma, Union, March 24, aged 54.

LAZARUS.—Henrietta, 1 Shanley Av., Newark, March 24. Funeral to-morrow.

LOBLEEN.—Dr. E. L., New Brunswick, March 24, aged 49. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

McGUIRE.—Hugh, 64 Jefferson St., Hoboken, March 23, aged 68.

PETERSON.—Frederick, 528 Court St., Elizabeth, March 23.

PRIGGE.—George, 799 West Side Av., Jersey City, March 24, aged 33.

REDNER.—David T., Haledon, March 23, aged 62.

RIAMO.—Theresa, 422 5th St., Hoboken, March 24.

RYAN.—John J., Weehawken, March 23, aged 61.

WALKER.—Jessie M., Paterson, March 23.

WEDLAKE.—Edwin W., Paterson, March 23, aged 61. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

WESTERVELT.—Lydia, Englishtown, March 23. Funeral to-day.

WHITE.—Hannah W., Freehold, March 24, aged 33. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

WODE.—Francis G., 879 Lafayette St., Elizabeth, March 23.

New York State.

ADAMS.—Alvaro J., Mount Kisco, March 24, aged 90. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

DEDERICK.—Peter M., Hudson, March 22, aged 79.

DONAHUE.—Mary, Hudson, March 23, aged 58.

MOSSER.—Louise C., Mamaroneck, March 24. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

SANGER.—Joseph G., New Rochelle, March 23.

WILSON.—Edwin K., New Rochelle, March 23. Funeral private.

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FOOTBALL RULES AGAIN UNDER FIRE

Committee Discusses Forward Pass Problem at an All-Day Session.

To forward pass or not to forward pass—that was the question which occupied the attention of the Intercollegiate Football Rules Committee sitting at the Hotel Cumberland in its second session of the year, from 10 o'clock yesterday morning until 6:30 in the evening, barring only a short recess at 1 o'clock for luncheon.

When the day's session was brought to a close at dinner time the fourteen committeemen were very tired. But they were not much nearer the solution of whether or not the present forward pass across the line of scrimmage should be retained in the code than they were in the morning.

So evenly divided were they on this point and so minutely did the arguments advanced pro and con enter into every detail of the situation, that it is probable that to-day's session will by no means be the last the committee holds this year. There is every likelihood that, when the committee adjourns to-night, it will be to meet again in this city in about two weeks, when the playing rules for this Fall will finally be evolved.

Every rule-maker entered yesterday's session apparently primed with all sorts of arguments about the retention or the abolishment of the present forward pass. A blackboard—requisitioned during the early afternoon by Prof. A. A. Stagg of the University of Chicago, the leading exponent in the committee of retention of the forward pass across the line of scrimmage—was used liberally by the various members of the committee in explaining their attitude on this play.

The basis of al lthe argument was elementary—could football be rendered safe if the forward pass was retained, or was it necessary to abolish it to make the game safe? On this question there was an almost equal division of opinion. Eight members of the committee are known to have been opposed last night to the retention of the forward pass in its present form. They favor, instead, a forward pass only in back of the attacking line of scrimmage.

There were six others who, up to the time of adjournment last night, were unwilling to concede the correctness of this view. There was no organized opposition to the movement, if such it can be called, to retain the present forward pass, the eight individuals opposing it each expressing his own belief.

In the argument or debate on this play there was evidenced no line-up by geographical sections. The West was fairly evenly divided on the point, as was also the East. It became very apparent that the thrashing out of this phase of football revision is the fundamental, on which all the changes that will be evolved finally will hinge. Hardly another play was discussed during yesterday's discussion, and certainly none received careful consideration except insofar as it affected or was co-related with the forward pass.

The following statement was made at the close of yesterday's session by E. K. Hall of Dartmouth, Secretary of the committee:

Everything hinges now on the forward pass. The play was discussed at length. All proposed or contemplated changes in the code have to be considered in the light of how they will be affected by the forward pass. The discussions to-day have been on the fundamentals and the general policy of the game, and not on any detailed rules. Every conceivable phase of the forward pass, however, was thoroughly discussed. The onside kick, in connection with other things, was, of course, considered.

"There was no vote on anything. We have taken the sense of the committee on individual things, but what was said is not even a matter of record, except in a few memoranda, which will be needed, perhaps, for the minutes of the meeting.

"To sum up the work of the committee to-day, I should say that we worked with one mind toward eliminating danger insofar as it is possible to eliminate it, and all revision will be directed toward that one end. In that way certain proposals were eliminated; that is to say, the majority were not in favor of them. We might to-morrow decide upon some combination of changes that will be incorporated into the code."

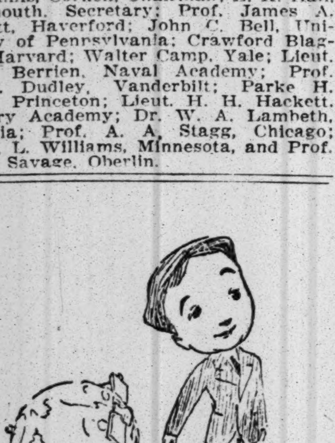
"Was there a wide variance of opinion?" Mr. Hall was asked.

"I think it fair to say," was the reply, "that to-night we are nearer to getting to the point than ever before. We are making progress. There will be something definite to say to-morrow, I feel confident."

There was no meeting last night, but the committee will reconvene at 8:30 this morning and will then sit until 1 or 2 o'clock. As to whether or not there is an afternoon session depends largely upon whether there is a likelihood of a majority being able to pass the revised code.

If it is seen at the morning session that the subject has not been debated enough to pave the way to the adoption of the new code, it is probable that the committee will adjourn early this afternoon, to meet again in this city in a fortnight or so. But if there is the slightest chance to make the most needed changes and to incorporate them into the 1910 playing code, then this will be done at to-day's session.

Those present yesterday were Prof. L. M. Dennis, Cornell, Chairman; E. K. Hall, Dartmouth, Secretary; Prof. James A. Babbitt, Haverford; John C. Bell, University of Pennsylvania; Crawford Blagden, Harvard; Walter Camp, Yale; Lieut. J. D. Berrien, Naval Academy; Prof. W. L. Dudley, Vanderbilt; Parke H. Davis, Princeton; Lieut. H. H. Hackett, Military Academy; Dr. W. A. Lambeth, Virginia; Prof. A. A. Stagg, Chicago; Dr. H. L. Williams, Minnesota, and Prof. C. W. Savage, Oberlin.



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Atlantic City Horse Arena Too Crowded for Fair Spectators.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 25.—After four years of exhibiting here with Leader of Fashion, Jack Conway finally landed a blue ribbon with the little animal this afternoon, and a cheer went up from his friends on the Million Dollar Pier, where the show is being held. He had as the most dangerous competitor Tinker Bell, from the Grand View Farms.

It was expected that another successful drag hunt would be held on the beach today, but it was a failure, for the scent was destroyed by the wet, salty sand. The dogs chased themselves up and down the Strand, and thoroughly enjoyed a dip in the surf. They had a good time, but never once did they appear interested in the drag. They were taken back on the meadows, however, where the drag was tried all over again, and there it proved a success. The drag was whirled across the salt marshes for more than three miles, and the hounds picked up and kept the scent without the slightest trouble.

The show was well attended this afternoon and evening. But there is one big, long wail going up, from the women folk especially, because of the action of the committee in using the promenade about the ring for seating capacity. There is no chance to get in front to see anybody, and there is no fun for the women in walking around back of the reserved seats and boxes and looking at the backs of heads or on the tops of big hats. There is such a clamor for the paddock ring that it is likely it will be a feature again at the next show.

CHRISTIE GIVES UP RACING.

George Robertson Coming Home to be Married on Tuesday.

DAYTONA, Fla., March 25.—Walter Christie, widely known as a driver of racing cars, following his failure yesterday to lower Barney Oldfield's record of 27.33 for one mile, announced he had driven his last race. He says he will go into business. Oldfield, who broke five world's records during the meet here, left to-day for Los Angeles, Cal., where he will participate in the races that begin there early next month.

George Robertson, who drove Christie's car in the speed tournament of Daytona Beach, left for New York this morning, where he is to be married next Tuesday. Soon after the ceremony he is to start for Los Angeles to drive in the board track speed tournament to be held there the early part of next month.

National Soccer League Games.

In consequence of numerous postponements caused by unfavorable weather throughout the past Winter the National Soccer Football League has been obliged to arrange a new schedule of games in order to wind up its annual championship series. The dates are announced as follows:

March 27—West Hudson vs. Brooklyn; Newark vs. Paterson Rangers.

April 3—Paterson Rangers vs. Wilberforce; 10—True Blues vs. Jersey A. C.; Brooklyn vs. Wilberforce; Newark vs. West Hudson; Scottish Americans vs. Paterson Rangers. 24—Scottish Americans vs. West Hudson; True Blues vs. Brooklyn; Wilberforce vs. Jersey A. C.; Paterson Rangers vs. Newark.

May 1—True Blues vs. West Hudson; Paterson Rangers vs. Scottish Americans; Wilberforce vs. Newark. 8—Wilberforce vs. Paterson Rangers; West Hudson vs. Newark; True Blues vs Brooklyn. 15—True Blues vs. Wilberforce; Brooklyn vs. West Hudson. 22—Newark vs. Wilberforce. 29—Wilberforce vs. Brooklyn.

The games will be played on the grounds of the clubs named first in each instance.

Haverford Soccer Victory.

Special to The New York Times.

ITHACA, N. Y., March 25.—Haverford defeated Cornell at soccer football this afternoon by the score of 3 to 0, clearly outclassing the Ithacans in team work and forcing the play throughout.

Pennsylvania Golfers in Final.

Special to The New York Times.

PINEHURST, N. C., March 25.—Miss Mary Fownes of the Oakmont Country Club, Pittsburg, and Mrs. C. H. Vanderbeck of Philadelphia will meet in the final round of the annual United North and South golf championship for women as a result of to-day's semi-final round. Miss Fownes defeated her clubmate, Miss Elkins, and Mrs. Vanderbeck beat Mrs. J. Raymond Price, also of the Oakmont Club.

Stewards for Hunt Club Racing.

At a recent meeting of the Hunts Committee of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association the following Stewards were appointed to represent the committee: At the Warrenton hunt, April 2, H. S. Page; trial steeplechases, April 16, Charles Pfizer; Rockaway Hunting Club, April 30, A. J. A. Devereux; Meadow Brook Steeplechase Association, May 7, J. E. Cowdin; Virginia Racing and Horse Show Association, May 14-16, Frank J. Bryan; Maryland United Hunts, May 26, 28, 30, and Sept. 1, 3, and 5, Charles K. Harrison; Watchung Hunt, May 28-30, Charles Pfizer; Rose Tree Fox Hunting Club, June 2-4, A. J. A. Devereux; Capt. E. B. Cassatt's Chesterbrook Farm, Sept. 24, A. J. A. Devereux.

W. C. Brown in Trotting Game.

BOSTON, March 25.—It was announced to-day that W. C. Brown, President of the New York Central Railroad, has purchased the trotting mare Albia, 2:10¼, and that he will campaign her on the Grand Circuit this year, together with other trotters which he expects to purchase.

Seven Nations Represented in Race.

Seven nationalities are represented in the entries for the Marathon Derby which will be run at the Polo Grounds next Saturday afternoon. There are two of Uncle Sam's sons, Johnny Hayes and Hans Holmer; a couple of "champs" from the Emerald Isle, Frank Clarke, the winner of this year's Edinborough classic, and Jim Crowley; the fleet-footed little Englishman, Percy Sellen; the pick of the Indian runners, Paul Acoose; the Swedes, Thure Johanson and Gusta Ljundstrom; Canada's latest speed marvel, Fred Meadows, and the Italian Marathon champion, Umberto Blasie, who is on his way here. The tri-color of the French nation may yet be seen at the starting post, as last year's winner of the Derby, Henri St. Yves, is nibbling at the rich bait and may be here in time to compete.

Squash Results at Harvard Club.

G. O. Winston, handicapped at four aces, won his place in the round before the Class A semi-finals in the continuation of the annual squash tournament yesterday on the courts of the Harvard Club, West Forty-fourth Street, near Fifth Avenue. In his match Winston defeated E. S. Benedict, who had the advantage of half a hand and eight aces, in straight sets, 15—12 and 17—16. The summary:

Class A Handicap.—First Round—Dr. H. S. Satterlee, scratch, defeated L. du P. Irving, 4 aces, 16—17, 15—12, 17—16.

Second Round—W. O. Winston, 4 aces, defeated E. S. Benedict, half a hand and 8 aces, 15—12, 17—16.

Class B Handicap.—First Round—W. T. Crocker, 4 aces, defeated F. Cruger, scratch. 9—15, 15—9, 15—9.

Hanford Makes Best Score.

D. Hanford made the highest score in the competition with the target revolver at the Manhattan Rifle and Revolver Association last night, the shooting being for the championship of the United States, under the auspices of the United States Revolver Association, the matches being held this week in many of the cities of the country. The total for Hanford was 441. The next best score in this city was made by Dr. J. R. Hicks, with 437, and H. Roedder followed with 434. Dr. R. H. Sayre totaled 429 and R. F. Oroado made 403.

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YANKEES HELD BACK; CRIPPLE LIST GROWS

First Basemen Hal Chase Rushing Home to Beat the Stork's Visit to His Home.

Special to The New York Times.

ATHENS, Ga., March 25.—The few Yankees who are still fit for service engaged in a five-inning game this afternoon, and the so-called regulars won the verdict by the score of 2 to 1. More picturesque than the contest, to all concerned, was the visit of 100 fair co-eds from the State Normal School, who took advantage of the Good Friday holiday. If accidents keep on striking down the players, there will soon be no one left to play at all.

Harry Wolter was able to limp on to the field for the regulars, but Gardner and Engle were unable to respond to roll-call. Chase, who is laid up with a bad left leg, left to-night for New York, to greet the arrival of the stork at his home. In all probability, Chase will not join the team again until it gets to Jersey City. Jack Knight will play first base in the absence of the Captain. The tall infielder had a front tooth knocked out by a fast grounder this afternoon, but that did not stop him. Foster will be the regular shortstop, and Birdie Cree will play the position for the Yannigans.

Gardner is out of the game with a dislocated thumb. Engle's feet have been made sore by the hard-baked ground in left field. Jim Vaughn was put out of commission for a time this afternoon, and Lou Criger is threatened with malaria. Vaughn stopped a liner from Madden's bat with the end of the middle finger of his left hand. That did the digit such damage that the big southpaw will be lucky if he is able to work again before a week. The ball did not break the finger, but it damaged the ligaments so badly that Vaughn could not bend his finger to-night.

The regulars had the hardest possible time in taking the measure of the colts. Vaughn had two chances in right field. Both were easy, but he muffed them. The brace of errors gave the winners the only two runs they scored. The first Madden liner put Vaughn's finger out of working order. Madden got three bases on the muff, and scored on Knight's double. Roach's bunt single, after Wolter fanned, put Knight on third. The tall boy registered when Vaughn dropped a fast fly. Charlie Hemphill saved the colts from a dose of kalsomine. He greeted Frill's appearance in the fourth with a home run to the grove in right field. Hemphill, like Knight, made a perfect batting average. Each singled in his respective half of the first inning. Hemphill got one of the two hits which Russell Ford allowed in the three innings he pitched. Otis Johnson was the only colt who got as far as third base during Ford's term in the box. He struck out four men in three innings. The score:

							R.	H.	E.
Yannigans	0	0	0	1	0	—	1	4	2
Regulars	0	0	0	2	.	—	2	3	1

Batteries—Upham and Mitchell; Ford, Frill, and Sweeney.

Brooklyn Lucky to Tie the Score.

Special to The New York Times.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., March 25.—Chattanooga held the Brooklyn Nationals down to a 5-to-5 tie game this afternoon, the Dodgers being lucky to escape defeat. Jake Daubert and Humpty McElveen pulled them out of trouble in the ninth, when the score was 5 to 2 against them, and with Hummel on first Daubert hit a long triple and McElveen drove the ball over the left field fence for a home run.

The prominence of the locals in the game was due to the wonderful pitching of Fred Miller, a big southpaw of the Overall type, who was drafted by Charles Ebbets from the Columbia Club last Fall and turned over to Chattanooga with a string attached. The giant youngster pitched five innings against the Dodgers and struck out nine men, starting by fanning the first three men up. He allowed only three hits, and held the big leaguers down to a solitary tally. Fullenweider, a right-hander who relieved Miller, was good until the ninth, when Dahlen's men woke up and saved themselves from defeat. The score:

											R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	—	5	6	2
Chattanooga	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	—	5	9	1

Batteries—Schneiberg, Rucker and O. Miller; F. Miller, Fullenweider and Carson. Umpires—Messrs. Meek and Rickert.

Cobb Fails to Report to Tigers.

Special to The New York Times.

DETROIT, Mich., March 25.—Although Ty Cobb, champion batsman in the American League, was to have reported at the Detroit Club's training camp at San Antonio two weeks ago, he has failed to show up there and Manager Jennings has not heard from him. Reports are floating among Detroit fans that there is some hitch between the Tiger management and its rightfielder. A month ago the club management announced that Cobb had signed a three-year contract at $9,000 a year, but at that time and since then nothing has been said about any differences between Cobb and the club. Representatives of the club declare they do not know why Cobb has not reported at the training camp. Jennings has reported to the Tiger officials here that he has not heard from Cobb, but that he is anxious for him to report, especially since the veterans of the Detroit team have made such a poor showing in the South. Cobb is at home in Augusta, Ga., and reports say he is selling automobiles there.

Results of Baseball Games.

At Charlottesville, Va.—Princeton, 5; Virginia, 2.

At Chattanooga, Tenn.—Brooklyn, 5; Chattanooga, 5.

At Durham, N. C.—Trinity, 2; Lafayette, 1.

At Blacksburg, Va.—Virginia "Poly," 5; Rutgers, 1.

At Richmond, Va.—Philadelphia Nationals, 12; Richmond, 2.

At Hot Springs, Ark.—Cincinnati Nationals, 5; Boston Americans, 5.

At Little Rock, Ark.—Cleveland Second Team, 8; St. Louis Nationals, 0.

AMONG THE CHESS PLAYERS.

Employing a novel variation of the French defense against Dr. Emanuel Lasker in the simultaneous exhibition given by the latter against thirty opponents at the rooms of the Manhattan Chess Club, George O. Seward of the Columbia 'Varsity chess team of 1897 scored his game at the expense of the world's champion in decisive fashion after twenty-six moves. Herbert Rosenfeld and H. R. Limburg also won their games, the champion winning the remaining twenty-seven without allowing a single loss.

William M. De Visser, the referee appointed to award the W. S. Hurley prize for the best game won by an American in the recent Anglo-American cable match, has decided in favor of the game won by F. J. Marshall, United States champion, from J. H. Blackburne, at the top board. The only other game which came under consideration was the one which R. T. Black won from J. H. Blake.

L. Walter Stephens of Princeton and J. R. Chandler of Yale contested the second game of their series for the privilege of playing at the second board in the college cable match yesterday. The result was another draw, after a lively game lasting sixty-one moves.

NO KLING DECISION REACHED.

National Commission Expects to Settle Case by Next Thursday.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 25.—After debating for five hours the National Baseball Commission adjourned here late to-day without taking and definite action regarding the application of Johnny Kling for reinstatement into the ood graces of organized baseball.

"The National Commission has failed thus far to reach an agreement in the Kling case," said Chairman Herrmann. "We have exchanged views all along the line, and can come to no conclusion. We will exchange additional views by wire or mail, an dexpect to reach a decision by next Thursday at the latest."

Ban B. Johnson and Thomas J. Lynch said an agreement would certainly be reached within the next week.

The commission issued a notice to all major league players giving the conditions under which a Detroit firm is to present an automobile to the champion batsman of the 1910 season. Regular players to be eligible for the prize must have been credited with 350 times at bat, catchers with 250 times, and pitchers with 100. The official league batting average will be the only factor considered in awarding the prize.

The commission refused to take further action in the case of Player Hunt, who was sold to the Boston American League Club by Hutchinson, Kan., and also to the Wichita (Kan.) Club. On a former hearing title to the player was vested in Boston, the present hearing being a dispute between the two Western clubs as to the division of the purchase money.

Joseph Knott, who played with Buffalo in the Eastern League last year, was denied the standing of a free agent. He claimed it because of his successive transfers to Jersey City and New Britain, Conn.

On appeal by the Canton (Ohio) club, the Portsmouth (Ohio) club was ordered to pay the former the money it received from the New York National League Club for Chester A. Spencer, a player who is training in Texas with McGraw's team. Canton obtained Spencer from Toledo, and proved to the commission that Portsmouth had no title to his services.

Yale Wins from Pennsy in Eighth.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., March 25.—Yale won the first intercollegiate championship baseball game of the season here to-day from the University of Pennsylvania by the score of 5 to 2. Pennsylvania led until the eighth inning, when Schultz's wildness was responsible for the runs. Score:

PENNSYLVANIA.	R	H	PO	A	E
A. Thayer, cf.	0	1	8	0	0
Ald'fer, 2b.	0	0	1	2	1
Wood, lf.	1	0	1	2	0
Schultz, p.	0	1	2	2	0
Hayden, 1b.	1	0	6	0	0
Pierce, rf.	0	1	1	0	0
Deacon, ss.	0	1	1	1	0
Cozzens, c.	0	0	8	8	0
Smiley, 3b.	0	0	1	2	2
Total	2	4	24	12	3

YALE.	R	H	PO	A	E
Philbin, c.	2	1	6	2	0
Stevens, cf.	0	0	1	0	0
Murphy, 1b.	1	0	9	[illegible]	0
Logan, 3b.	1	1	2	2	0
Badger, lf.	0	2	4	0	0
M'Int're, 2b.	0	1	1	3	0
Carhart, rf.	0	1	0	0	0
Sutrell, ss.	0	0	3	2	1
Tommers, p.	1	2	1	2	0
Total	5	8	27	12	1

Pennsylvania	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—	2
Yale	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	.	—	5

Two-base hit—Philbin. Three-base hit—Schultz. Sacrifice hits—Tommers, Cozzens. Stolen base—Tommers. Struck out—By Schultz, 6; by Tommers, 5. Double plays—Tommers, McIntyre, and Murphy; Aldendifer, Deacon, and Hayden. First base on balls—Off Tommers, 8. Hit by pitched ball—Stevens, Murphy. Time of game—One hour and thirty minutes. Umpire—Mr. Adams.

Giants at Dallas, Texas.

DALLAS, March 25.—With the arrival of more than 40 of the New York Nationals in Dallas to polish off their Spring training work, there were more than 100 professional baseball players in Dallas to-day.

BASEBALL NOTES.

The exhibition baseball games at the Polo Grounds will be umpired by a Western indicator holder named C. L. Hanscel.

Secretary W. M. Gray of the New York National League Club received a telegram from John T. Brush yesterday in which the Giant's President stated that the Texas air was agreeing with him and that his health was improving every day.

With Dick Rudolph of the Torontos in the box and Hohman behind the bat, the Bronx Athletics on Sunday will open the season at Bronx Oval, 163d Street and Southern Boulevard, with the strong Royal Giants. Game will be called at 3 o'clock.

Lindemann, who exhibited great skill in the box for the Ridgewood team last year, again is under contract to pitch for that team this season, and will be seen in action on Sunday, when the Ridgewoods encounter the crack Hobokens in Meyerrose Park at 3:15 P. M.

Catcher Murray of last season's Fordham College team has been signed by the Baltimore Eastern League Club.

The Acorn Baseball Club would like to arrange games with teams averaging 12 to 13 years of age, at Macomb's Dam Park, any day except Saturdays and Sundays, at 3:30 P. M. Address Capt. Thomas Hill, 270 East 162d Street.

Winners with the Cue.

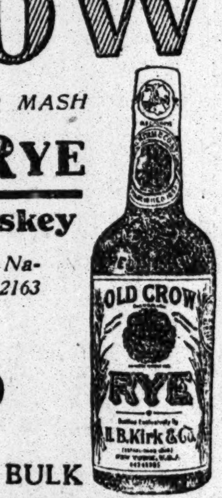
In last night's game of the "Yannigans'" three-cushion-carrom handicap billiard tournament in progress at John Doyle's billiard academy, Forty-second Street and Broadway, M. T. Beck (2) defeated E. Hammond (4) by the score of 20 to 19.

In their last two games of the exhibition handicap pool tournament at the Morningside Billiard Academy, 125th Street and Lenox Avenue, yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. King divided honors. In the afternoon game Mr. King, who played 100, won by a score of 100 to 70. In the evening game Mrs. King, who played 75, won by the score of 75 to 93.

Two games were played last night in the amateur hanricap three-cushion-carrom billiard tournament at McGraw's billiard academy, Thirty-fifth Street and Sixth Avenue. In the first game of eighty innings C. H. Ditmars (scratch) defeated E. Finegold (5) by the score of 30 to 26. Ditmars's high run was 3 and Finegold's was 2. In the other game, of 60 innings, which is the record game of the tournament, C. H. Warrington defeated Frank Becker by the score of 30 to 13. Warrington's high run was 5, the highest run made in the tournament, and Becker's was 2. Both men were at scratch, and Warrington played a wonderful game.

Junior Aero Club Trials.

The people of Brooklyn will have for the first time in their history an opportunity to see a real model aeroplane competition on Saturday evening, April 2, at which time three of the best competitors will fly their machines. The contest will be in conjunction with the athletic games of the Fourteenth Regiment and Central Young Men's Christian Association, and will conclude the evening's programme. Already these miniature airships have sailed nearly 200 feet, and the work that is being done in promoting the construction of model airships by the Junior Aero Club of America is productive of splendid results. Under the direction of Edward Durant, the director of the club, a large number of men and boys are studying this new science and making various styles of models. Two cups have been donated, one, by Leo Stevens, is for the competitor who flies the longest distance during the year 1910. The second cup has been donated by Sidney Bowman for the best-constructed model. The Games Committee of the athletic meet for April 2 have also ordered a trophy for the winner of this special event.



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SPORTING NEWS IN BRIEF.

Chairman Obertubbessing of the Registration Committee of the Metropolitan Association of the A. A. U. warns all amateur athletes against competing in the five-mile race to be run under the direction of John Anthes at Elizabeth, N. J., April 2, as the run has not been sanctioned by the A. A. U.

The attention of all Games Committees conducting athletic games is called to the A. A. U. rules which require that the registration number of the athletes entering must appear on the entry blank. "Applied for" will not do.

There will be a meeting of the Registration Committee of the Metropolitan Association, A. A. U., at the St. George A. C., 207 East Sixteenth Street, on Tuesday evening, March 29, at 8 P. M.

In the second leg of their 1,500-point 18.2 balk line championship billiard match Thursday night at San Francisco Willie Hoppe again defeated Ora Morningstar, 500 to 474.

There will be model aeroplane flights by members of the aeronautic class of the West Side Young Men's Christian Association at the Twenty-second Regiment Armory this afternoon.

Athletic Peace in California Colleges.

PALO ALTO, Cal., March 25.—The action of the student body of Leland Stanford University in declining to disregard the athletic ultimatum of the University of California, and in indicating instead a willingness to adopt a five-year eligibility rule as proposed by the State institution, has virtually ended the dispute that threatened to sever athletic relations between the universities.

Jack Johnson in More Trouble.

CHICAGO, March 25.—Upon his arrival from New York to-day Jack Johnson, the pugilist, was served with a summons to appear before Municipal Judge Scovel March 31 and answer the charge of having violated the automobile speed ordinance.

BOXING AND WRESTLING.

Johnny Moran and Frankie Burns will be the headliners in the boxing bill of the Marathon A. C. of Brooklyn, which will be pulled off Monday evening.

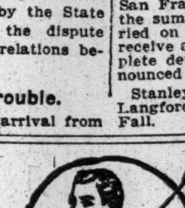
Highly pleased with the weight-reducing results of his recent ten days' outing in the Tehachapi Mountains, Jim Jeffries left Los Angeles yesterday for another hunt, going this time to Mount Whitney, where he will seek to rid himself of more surplus flesh during the next few days.

Jack Gleason, one of the promoters of the Jeffries-Johnson fight, will get an insurance policy of $50,000 on each of the fighters to prevent a possible loss through death or accident to the principals.

Zbyszko, the Polish wrestler, has been matched with "Yankee" Rogers of Buffalo for a finish match, to take place in Wilkesbarre on April 21.

It was announced yesterday that a "guessing contest" will shortly be inaugurated by Frank Johnson, a sporting man, wherein an even hundred citizens, if they are good enough guessers, will be able to go to the coast, see the big fight on July 4, live at the best hotel while in San Francisco, and return to this city, all for the sum of $2.50. The lucky ones will be carried on a special train of Pullmans and will receive a ringside seat for the fight. The complete details of this guessing plan will be announced within a week.

Stanley Ketchel has signed to fight Sam Langford twenty rounds at San Francisco next Fall.



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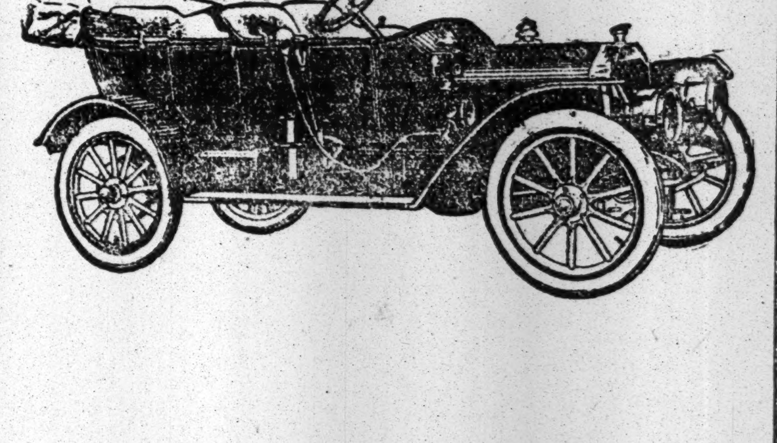

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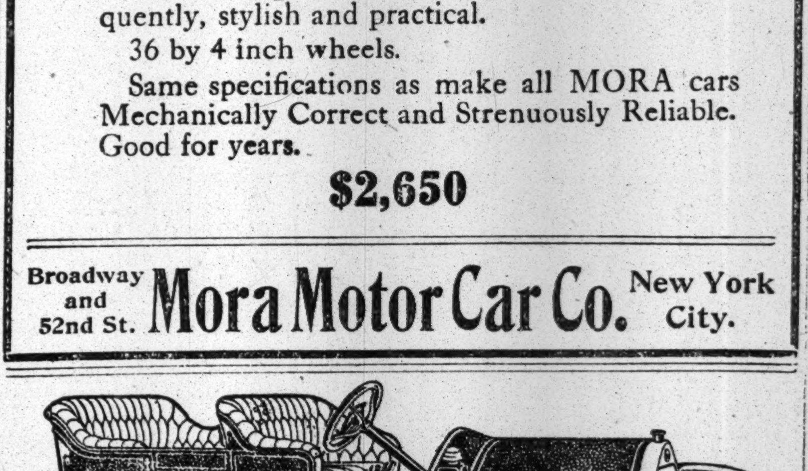

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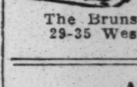

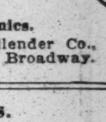

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The number of bales held on Sept. 1, 1909, was 1,483,585; 9,974,998 were ginned during the six months' period, and net imports represented 93,778 bales.

CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

BOOKS CLOSE.

Aeolian-Weber Piano and Pianola Co. for dividend on preferred.

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City Investing Co. for dividend on preferred.

Columbia Trust Co. for dividend.

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Milwaukee & Chicago Breweries for dividend.

New Idria Quicksilver Mining Co. for dividend.

North Butte Mining Co. for dividend.

Warren Brothers & Co. for dividend on preferred.

The Treasury Statement.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The Treasury statement issued to-day gives receipts and expenditures for yesterday as follows:

	March 24.	Month.	Fiscal Yr.
Customs	$1,343,039	$26,550,397	$247,663,148
Inter. rev.	899,791	17,801,724	194,546,459
Miscellaneous	250,580	3,096,690	32,719,286
Total	$2,493,430	47,448,812	474,928,893
Expeditures	1,899,641	42,790,749	494,875,581
Surplus	593,789	4,658,063	*19,946,687

*Deficit.

FOREIGN TRADE OPPORTUNITIES.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The Consular and Trade Report will note the following trade opportunities abroad. Further information regarding these may be obtained by addressing the Bureau of Manufactures, care of Department of Commerce and Labor, Washington, D. C., giving the number of the item referred to:

4,717. AMERICAN GOODS FOR RUSSIA.—An American Consular officer in Russia reports that a large concern in his district has sold its interests to a company recently formed. The manager of the new company is an American citizen, and recognized as one of the most energetic and reliable business men in that country. The company, backed by ample capital and rated high, is fitting up spacious offices for the agency, and will employ a large force to handle the correspondence. A room is being especially arranged for catalogues, where they may be referred to through the medium of a card index system. The company also has a large field force covering the entire country. The officer states that country is one of the largest and most profitable territories in the whole world for the extension of American trade.

4,718. RAILWAY SUPPLIES AND INVESTMENT OF AMERICAN CAPITAL.—A report from an American Consular officer in Eastern Europe incloses a prospectus of a proposed electric railway between two cities in that region. A concession will be granted for the building of the road, a distance of nearly forty-seven miles, at an estimated cost of $3,200,000. This is a favorable opportunity for American capitalists, who are looking for investments in foreign countries.

4,719. CAPSULE-MAKING MACHINERY.—A correspondent of The Indian Trade Journal desires the names of firms in the United States making machinery for the manufacture of capsules (other than paper) for bottles. For particulars address the Director General of Commercial Intelligence, 5 Clive Street, Calcutta, India.

4,720. CURLED OR FLAMED MAPLEWOOD FOR VIOLINS.—An American Consular officer in Northern Europe has forwarded the names of two European firms that desire to be placed in communication with American exporters of curled or flamed maplewood for violin making.

4,721. AMERICAN GOODS OF VARIOUS KINDS.—A Spanish importing house has informed an American Consul that it is desirous of securing catalogues and price lists from American manufacturers of the following goods: Lenses and optical accessories, theatre and field glasses, telescopes, self-closing inkstands, embossed checkers and dominoes, rubber heels, and lanterns. Correspondence should be in Spanish.

4,722. FLOUR, SAW, AND WOOLCARDING MILL SUPPLIES.—An American Consul in Canada reports that there are in his district about seventy-five flour, saw, and woolcarding mills, and the attention of American exporters of such mill supplies is directed to that market.

4,723. COAL AND ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES.—A report from an American Consul in a Latin-American country states that the manager of a local company desires information and prices on good steam coal in lots of 700 to 1,000 tons on board ship at some convenient point on the Atlantic Coast, and also the probable cost of charter from point of loading to destination. The Consul states that if satisfactory arrangements can be made in regard to price, &c., he can see no reason why American coal should not compete favorably with those now imported. The same company is also considering many improvements in the local electric lighting equipment, it having leased the plant for a term of years, and would like to get in touch with manufacturers of electrical supplies.

4,724. HARDWARE, HOUSEHOLD UTENSILS, AND FURNISHINGS.—An American Consul in the Far East reports that a local firm is desirous of establishing connections with American manufacturers of hardware, miscellaneous household utensils, and furnishings. The Consul states that one exporting house having agencies for such articles should take up correspondence with the firm mentioned, for the amount of business that can be done in any one line is not likely to be very large for the present.

4,725. AERATED WATER MACHINERY.—An American Consul in the West Indies reports that a business man in his district wishes to get in touch with the manufacturers of aerated water machinery in the United States

MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 25.—The official closing quotations for mining stocks today were as follows:

Alpha Con	.12	Kentucky Con	.18
Andes	.12	Mexican	1.47
Belcher	.90	Occidental Con	.30
Caledonia	.50	Ophir	1.17
Challenge Con	.33	Overman	1.02
Chollar	.27	Savage	.43
Confidence	1.15	Sag Belcher	.23
Coh. Cal. & Va.	1.12	Sierra Nevada	.45
Con. Imperial	.06	Union Con	.78
Crown Point	.90	Utah Con	.07
Gould & Curry	.30	Yellow Jacket	.85
Hale & Norcross	.40		

Silver bars, .52; Mexican dollars, .45@.46; drafts, sight, 4@5 per cent. premium; telegraph, 6@7½ per cent. premium.

TONOPAH.		Daisy	.10
Belmont	2.90	Diamondfield	.01
Jim Butler	.17	Goldfield Con. M.	8.30
McNamara	.40	Great Bend	.03
Midway	.35	Jumbo Extension	.40
Montana	.91	Kendall	.02
North Star	.02	Lone Star	.04
Tonopah Ext.	.93	Red Hills	.04
West End	.44	Sandstorm	.04
GOLDFIELD.		Silver Pick	.10
Atlanta	.15	BULLFROG.	
Bluebell	.02	Bullfrog Nat. Bk.	.01
Combination Frac.	.47	Montgomery Mt	.01
Crackerjack	.01		

COLORADO MINING STOCKS.

Special to The New York Times.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., March 25.—The following were the closing quotations on the local Exchange to-day:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Dr. Jackpot	7¾	8¼	Jackpot	7	7¼
Elkton	68¾	69	McKinney	46½	48½
El Paso	60⅝	65⅞	Old Gold	4⅛	4¾
Findlay	9¾	10	Portland	108	110
Gold Dollar	10½	11	Vindicator	79	82
Isabella	17	17½	J. Sample	9¼	9¾

FINANCIAL NOTES.

The Honduras National Railroad Company has accepted the proposal made by the London Syndicate to increase the bond issue from $5,000,000 to $10,000,000 for the construction of the road.

The retiring Directors of the United States Mortgage and Trust Company have been reelected, as have the retiring officers. James G. Cannon, Vice President of the Fourth National Bank, has been elected to fill a vacancy in the board.

The Gallatin National Bank has increased its dividend rate from a semi-annual basis of 6 per cent. to 7 per cent. The new dividend, which is the one hundred and fifty-fifth consecutive semi-annual dividend disbursed, is payable on April 6 to stockholders of record March 25.

The terms of subscription to the new issue of 4½ per cent. twenty-year convertible bonds of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Company to authorize which a special meeting of stockholders has been called on April 28, allow holders of the common stock to take at 93½ an amount equal in face value to 50 per cent. of their holdings. The privilege accrues to stockholders of record of April 5, and the subscription must be made by May 10, when $500 on the subscription to each $1,000 bond must be paid. The balance is due by June 30.

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MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

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To the Holders of 6 PER CENT. INCOME BONDS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Half-Yearly Meeting of the above Company will be held at Electric Railway House, Broadway, Westminster, S. W., on the 21st day of April, 1910, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive and consider the Half-Yearly Accounts and Balance Sheet and the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon.

Holders of INCOME BONDS who desire to attend the Meeting must either, not less than 24 hours before the time appointed for holding such Meeting, deposit at the registered Office of the Company a statement in writing giving the denoting numbers and denominations of their Bonds and produce such Bonds at the Meeting, or they must deposit such Bonds with one or other of the following, viz.:

The London County & Westminster Bank, Ltd., 41 Lothbury, London, E. C.

The New York Trust Company, 26 Broad Street, New York.

Mr. Lazard Speyer-Ellissen, Frankfort-on-Main.

The Associatie Cassa, Amsterdam, who will issue to such holders Voting Tickets for the Meeting, in which the persons to whom the same are issued may insert their own names to vote, or the name of some other person to vote on their behalf. The person so named to vote in the Voting Tickets is requested to deposit at the registered Office of the Company, not less than 24 hours before the time for holding the Meeting, the Voting Tickets under which it is proposed to vote.

Dated the 26th day of March, 1910.

By Order of the Board.

W. E. MANDELICK, Secretary.

Electric Railway House,

Broadway, Westminster, S. W.

THE UNDERGROUND ELECTRIC RAILWAYS COMPANY OF LONDON, LIMITED.

To the holders of

Prior Lien Bonds,

4½ Per Cent. Bonds of 1933, and 6 Per Cent. Income Bonds.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Meeting of the Holders of the PRIOR LIEN BONDS of the above Company constituted by Deed of Trust dated the 30th day of July, 1908, between the Company of the one part and the London and Westminster Bank, Limited, of the other part, will be held at the Offices of the Company, Electric Railway House, Broadway, in the City of Westminster, on Thursday, the 21st day of April, 1910, at 12:30 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of considering and if thought fit passing the following Extraordinary Resolution, viz.:

"RESOLVED, That the appointment of the London County & Westminster Bank, Limited, to be Trustees of the Trust Deed dated the 30th day of July, 1908, in succession to the London & Westminster Bank, Limited, which has been amalgamated with the London County & Westminster Bank, Limited, be and the same is hereby approved."

AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that a Meeting of the HOLDERS of the 4½% BONDS of 1933 of the Company constituted by the same Trust Deed will be held on the same day and at the same place at 12:35 o'clock P. M., or so soon thereafter as the Meeting of the Prior Lien Bondholders shall be concluded or adjourned for the purpose of passing a similar Extraordinary Resolution.

AND NOTICE IS ALSO HEREBY GIVEN that a Meeting of the HOLDERS of the 6% INCOME BONDS of the Company constituted by the same Trust Deed will be held on the same day and at the same place at 12:40 o'clock P. M., or so soon thereafter as the Meeting of the 4½% Bondholders shall be concluded or adjourned for the purpose of passing a similar Extraordinary Resolution.

Holders of Bonds of any class who desire to attend the Meeting of the Bondholders of that class must either, not less than 24 hours before the time appointed for holding such Meeting, deposit at the registered Office of the Company a statement in writing giving the denoting numbers and denominations of their Bonds of that class and produce such Bonds at the Meeting, or they must deposit such Bonds with one or other of the following, viz.:

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W. E. MANDELICK, Secretary.

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NIAGARA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, for the election of Directors and Inspectors of Election and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting, will be held at the offices of the Company, No. 25 Liberty Street, on Tuesday, March 29th, 1910. Polls open from 12 M. to 1 P. M.

GEO. W. DEWEY, Secretary.

NEW BABYLON REALTY COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders will be held at the general office of the Corporation, 035 Broadway, New York City, at 2:30 P. M., Monday, April 11th.

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The Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company.

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The Board of Directors of this Company has this day declared a dividend of One and One-Quarter Per Cent. (1¼%) on the PREFERRED STOCK, and a dividend of One and One-Quarter Per Cent. (1¼%) on the COMMON STOCK of the Company, both payable in cash on April 25, 1910, to stockholders of record at close of business on April 15, 1910. Checks will be mailed to stockholders who have filed permanent dividend orders with The Farmers' Loan & Trust Company, 16-22 William Street, New York City.

The Board of Directors recently decided that hereafter dividends should be paid quarterly on both stocks, and the above are the first dividends on the quarterly basis. Dividends will hereafter be paid on both classes of stock in January, April, July, and October.

T. H. B. McKNIGHT, Treasurer.

Empire Trust Company

Main Office, 42 Broadway.

NEW YORK, March 15, 1910.

The Board of Directors of EMPIRE TRUST COMPANY has this day declared a quarterly dividend of TWO AND ONE-HALF PER CENT. (2½%) upon the Capital Stock of the Company, payable April 1, 1910, to stockholders of record at the close of business on March 26, 1910.

The transfer books of the Company will be closed on March 26, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, and will reopen on April 1, 1910, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Checks will be mailed to each stockholder at the address last appearing on our books.

H. M. GOUGH, Secretary.

OFFICE OF VIRGINIA-CAROLINA CHEMICAL CO.

Richmond, Va., March 8, 1910.

DIVIDEND NO. 58.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a dividend of TWO (2%) PER CENT., the same being consecutive quarterly dividend No. 58, on the preferred stock of this company, payable April 15, 1910, when checks will be mailed to all preferred stockholders of record at the close of business on March 31, 1910. The preferred stock books will be closed from 3 P. M. on Thursday, March 31, 1910, to 10 A. M. Saturday, April 16, 1910.

S. W. TRAVERS, Treasurer.

UNITED FRUIT COMPANY

DIVIDEND NO. 43.

A quarterly dividend of Two Per Cent. on the capital stock of this Company has been declared, payable April 15, 1910, at the office of the Treasurer, 131 State Street, Boston, Mass., to stockholders of record at the close of business March 24, 1910.

CHARLES A. HUBBARD, Treasurer.

NORTH BUTTE MINING COMPANY.

Dividend No. 17.

A quarterly dividend of $200,000.00, being fifty cents per share, on the outstanding stock of the company, has been declared out of the surplus earnings, payable April 23d, 1910, to the stockholders of record at the close of business on March 26th, 1910.

The transfer books will be closed from March 28th, 1910, to April 23d, 1910, both inclusive.

C. A. DUNCAN, Treasurer.

Duluth, Minn., February 28th, 1910.

AMERICAN LOCOMOTIVE COMPANY

30 Church Street, New York, March 23, 1910.

The Board of Directors this day declared a quarterly dividend of One and Three-quarters Per Cent. upon the preferred capital stock, payable April 21, 1910, to the preferred stockholders of record at the close of business on April 4, 1910. Checks will be mailed.

Transfer books of the preferred stock will close at 3 P. M. April 4, 1910, and reopen April 22, 1910.

C. B. DENNY, Secretary.

Office of the Electric Storage Battery Company,

Allegheny Avenue and 19th Street.

Phila., Pa., March 23rd, 1910.

The Directors have this day declared a dividend of one per cent. (1%) from the net earnings of the Company on both Common and Preferred Stocks, payable April 1st, 1910, to stockholders of record at the close of business on March 26th, 1910. Checks will be mailed.

WALTER G. HENDERSON, Treasurer.

THE FOURTH NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

New York, March 22, 1910.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a quarterly dividend of TWO PER CENT., free from tax, payable on and after April 1st proximo.

The transfer books will close at 3 P. M. this date, reopening April 1st, 1910.

CHARLES H. PATTERSON, Cashier.

United States Mortgage & Trust Co.

55 Cedar Street.

New York, March 25, 1910.

The Board of Directors has this day declared a quarterly dividend of SIX PER CENT. on the capital stock of the company, payable March 31st, 1910, to stockholders of record March 26th, 1910.

FRANK J. PARSONS, Secretary.

THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY,

30 Broad Street, New York.

A quarterly dividend of ONE PER CENT. upon this Company's Capital Stock will be paid on April 15, 1910, to stockholders of record at the close of business on April 4, 1910. The stock transfer books will not be closed. CHECKS will be mailed to stockholders who have filed Permanent Dividend Orders at this office.

SILAS W. BURT, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE UNITED GAS IMPROVEMENT COMPANY,

N. W. Corner Broad and Arch Sts. Philadelphia, March 9, 1910.

The Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of TWO PER CENT., ($1.00 per share,) payable April 15, 1910, to stockholders of record at the close of business March 31, 1910. Checks will be mailed.

LEWIS LILLIE, Treasurer.

THE GALLATIN NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

The 155th consecutive semi-annual dividend.

New York, March 23, 1910.

The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of SEVEN PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after April 6th proximo, to stockholders of record at 3 P. M. to-day.

GEORGE E. LEWIS, Cashier.

CONSOLIDATED RUBBER TIRE CO.

By order of the Board of Directors of this Company, THREE PER CENT. INTEREST will be paid on its Debenture Income Bonds at the Trust Company of America, New York City, on April 1, 1910, upon surrender of the Coupons then maturing.

FREDERICK A. SEAMAN, Treasurer.

The Market and Fulton National Bank.

New York, March 22, 1910.

A QUARTERLY dividend of THREE Per Cent. upon the capital stock of this Bank has been declared, payable, free of tax, on and after April 1st, 1910. The transfer books will be closed until that date.

T. J. STEVENS, Cashier.

The Hanover National Bank of the City of New York.

New York, March 22, 1910.

The Board of Directors have this day declared a quarterly dividend of FOUR PER CENT., free of tax, payable on and after April 1st, 1910. The transfer books will remain closed until that date.

ELMER E. WHITTAKER, Cashier.

MINNEAPOLIS AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD COMPANY.

Coupons due April 1, 1910, from Pacific Extension Bonds of this company will be paid on and after that date upon presentation at the office of the company, 25 Broad Street, New York.

F. H. DAVIS, Treasurer.

THE USUAL QUARTERLY DIVIDEND OF One and One-Half Per Cent. (1½%) on the capital stock of the AMERICAN COAL PRODUCTS COMPANY has been declared, payable on or before April 1st, 1910, to stockholders of record March 26th, 1910.

T. W. WEEKS, Treasurer.

ANNISTON CITY LAND COMPANY.

A dividend of $1.00 per share will be paid on April 11th, 1910, to stockholders of record at the close of business on April 4th, 1910.

Transfer books will be closed on April 4th, 1910, and will be reopened April 12th, 1910.

W. A. DAVIS, Treasurer.

Boston, Mass., March 22, 1910.

The NEW IDRIA QUICKSILVER MINING COMPANY will pay Dividend No. 107, of 80c. per share, on April 1, 1910, to stock of record March 26, 1910.

W. B. BUCKMINSTER, Treasurer.

WISCONSIN, MINNESOTA & PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY.

The coupons of the First Mortgage Bonds of this Company, due April 1st, 1910, will be paid on presentation at the office of J. P. Morgan & Co.

J. F. COYKENDALL, Secretary.

FOR RENT.

Fine suite of front offices in Trust Company of America Building, 37 Wall Street. E. Rieser, Agent, 37 Wall Street.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF LIQUIDATION, CITY DEBT,

Room 206 City Hall Annex.

New Orleans, March 11, 1910.

The Board of Liquidation, City Debt, acting under authority of Act No. 19 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana for the session of 1906 and Act No. 116 of said General Assembly for the session of 1908, both of which said acts have been ratified by Constitutional Amendments and have become part of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, will receive sealed proposals at its office in the City of New Orleans, Louisiana, up to twelve o'clock noon on Tuesday, April 12th, 1910, for the purchase of seven million dollars in face value of the new public improvement bonds of the City of New Orleans, authorized by and to be issued under the provisions of the acts aforementioned and the Constitutional Amendments ratifying same.

Said bonds are of the denomination of one thousand dollars each, and bear interest at the rate of four per cent. (4%) per annum, evidenced by interest coupons attached, payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July of each year respectively. They are by law exempt from taxation, State, parish and municipal.

Said bonds are payable January 1st, 1942, and are subject to call at the option of the City of New Orleans after January 1st, 1928, and will be issued under and subject to the acts aforementioned, which are referred to and made part hereof for greater certainty and particularity. Said proposals shall be received under and subject to the following conditions, to wit:

1st. No sale shall be made of any of the said bonds unless the aggregate of the bid or bids shall be for the full amount of said bonds, to wit, $7,000,000 in face value.

2d. Said bonds will be adjudicated to the highest bidder or bidders, provided that said bonds or any part thereof, shall not be adjudicated for less than par and accrued interest, less a commission not to exceed six per centum on the principal thereof.

3d. All matured interest coupons on said bonds shall be cut from said bonds and cancelled, and the successful bidder or bidders shall pay the interest which may have accrued on said bonds up to the date of delivery.

4th. Said bonds shall be paid for by the successful bidder or bidders in cash as fast as they can be signed and delivered, said deliveries to be made on twenty-four hours' notice.

All bonds to be delivered within a period not to exceed ninety days from date of final acceptance of bid.

5th. No bid will be received or considered unless accompanied by a certified check on some chartered bank in the City of New Orleans for three per cent. of the amount of each bid, the check or checks of the successful bidder or bidders shall be cashed and the proceeds retained by the Board of Liquidation as a guarantee that the said bidder or bidders will comply with his or their bids, and said proceeds shall be applied to the payment of the bonds last delivered to said bidder or bidders respectively. In case of neglect or refusal to comply with any bid the proceeds of said bidder's check shall be forfeited to the Sewerage and Water Board.

6th. The Board of Liquidation, City Debt, reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Mark all bids "Proposals for purchase of new public improvement bonds."

Further particulars and information will be furnished upon application to T. Wolfe, Jr., Secretary Board of Liquidation, City Debt, Room 206 City Hall Annex, New Orleans, La.

T. WOLFE, Jr.,

Secretary Board of Liquidation, City Debt.

THE BRIDGEPORT BRASS COMPANY.

To the Holders of outstanding First Mortgage Gold Bonds of The Bridgeport Brass Company, issued under and secured by a certain mortgage made by said The Bridgeport Brass Company to Continental Trust Company of the City of New York, dated June 1st, 1900, securing an authorized issue of $300,000, face value of said bonds:

NOTICE is hereby given that, in accordance with Article Tenth of said Mortgage, dated June 1st, 1900, there were drawn on March 1st, 1910, for redemption on June 1st, 1910, bonds secured by said mortgage of June 1st, 1900, numbered as follows:

6, 12, 19, 20, 27, 33, 37, 38, 39, 48, 49, 53, 56, 65, 76, 78, 83, 89, 90, 93, 95, 96, 98, 104, 111, 113, 114, 124, 128, 131, 136, 137, 138, 141, 142, 143, 144, 152, 156, 162, 163, 170, 173, 175, 192, 194, 196, 209, 214, 221, 223, 224, 225, 228, 230, 231, 233, 237, 240, 241, 244, 250, 253, 256, 260, 263, 265, 266, 268, 271, 273, 278, 290, 295, 299, and that on June 1st, 1910, there will become and be payable upon each of said numbered bonds so drawn at the office of The New York Trust Company, No. 26 Broad Street, New York City, the principal of said bonds and the interest then due thereon, and said numbered bonds so drawn for redemption shall from June 1st, 1910, cease to draw interest.

W. F. MALLOY,

Secretary of Bridgeport Brass Company.

NOTICE.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 17, 1910.

To the holders of the first and general mortgage 6% gold bonds of The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, dated January 1, 1908, issued under its first and general mortgage or deed of trust to the Bankers Trust Company of New York, Trustee.

You are hereby notified that The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company, pursuant to the provisions of its first and general mortgage 6% bonds aforesaid, dated January 1, 1908, and of the mortgage under which the same are issued, elects to pay and redeem all of said bonds outstanding on the 1st day of May, 1910, and that said The Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company will on said 1st day of May, 1910, redeem all of said bonds outstanding, at par and accrued interest, upon presentation and surrender of such bonds with all unpaid coupons thereto belonging, at the office of said Bankers Trust Company, Trustee, in the City of New York.

THE CLEVELAND ELECTRIC ILLUMINATING COMPANY.

By S. C. D. JOHNS, Secretary.

6% Real Estate Bonds 6%

Issue Series A $100,000 Nearly Sold.

Ask for Booklet Series "A"

KINGS CO. MORTGAGE CO.,

185 MONTAGUE ST., BROOKLYN, N. Y.

GUARANTEED MORTGAGES

On New York City Real Estate

LAWYERS MORTGAGE COMPANY

RICHARD M. HURD, President.

Capital and Surplus $6,000,000

59 Liberty Street, Manhattan.

184 Montague Street. Brooklyn.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

STATE OF NEW YORK, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, ss.:

This certificate, issued in duplicate, hereby certifies that the HERMAN KRATZENSTEIN COMPANY, a domestic stock corporation, has filed in this office on this twenty-third day of March, 1910, papers for the voluntary dissolution of such corporation under Section 221 of the General Corporation Law, and that it appears therefrom that such corporation has complied with said section in order to be dissolved.

Witness my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the City of [Seal.] Albany, this twenty-third day of March, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

HORACE G. TENNANT.

Second Deputy Secretary of State

ON MARCH 15, 1910, ABRAM L. HIRSH retired from the firm of LEON HIRSH & SON, the entire business having been this day purchased by ARTHUR O. OLSSON and JAMES A. MILLER, who will continue the business under the firm name of LEON HIRSH & SON.

ABRAM L. HIRSH.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice.

Parsons, Kansas, February 26, 1910.

The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway Company, for the election of Directors, in conformity with Chapter 197, Laws of Kansas, 1895, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting, will be held at the General Office of the Company in the City of Parsons, Kansas, on Thursday, the 7th day of April, 1910, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Stock transfer books will be closed from and after the afternoon of March 8th and until the morning of April 8th next, New York Office, 49 Wall Street.

C. N. WHITEHEAD, Secretary.

A. A. ALLEN, President.

The Home Insurance Company

56 CEDAR STREET,

New York, March 14, 1910.

The Annual Election for Directors of this Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 56 Cedar St., on Monday, April 4, 1910. Polls open from 12 M. to 1 o'clock P. M.

C. L. TYNER, Secretary.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company.

TREASURER'S OFFICE,

71 BROADWAY,

JAS. STEUART MACKIE, Treasurer.

New York, N. Y., March 25, 1910.

To the Stockholders of THE CHESAPEAKE AND OHIO RAILWAY COMPANY:

Subject to the necessary authorization by the stockholders at a special meeting which has been called to convene April 28, 1910, this Company, pursuant to resolutions of the Board of Directors, adopted March 17, 1910, has sold to bankers (in order to insure the prompt provision of the necessary funds for its requirements), $31,390,000 bonds of the issue hereinafter described, with the agreement that the privilege be given to the holders of the common stock of the Company to subscribe at 93½ per cent. of the face amount thereof and accrued interest, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter stated, **on or before May 10, 1910,** for a face amount of such bonds equal to fifty per cent. (50%) of the par amount of their respective holdings of the common stock of the Company, as registered on its books at 3 o'clock P. M., April 5, 1910. The bonds referred to will be Four and One-Half Per Cent. Twenty-Year Convertible Gold Bonds, of an authorized issue limited to $37,200,000. The bonds will be convertible at the option of the holder on or at any time after May 1, 1911, and to and including February 1, 1920, at their face value, into paid-up shares of the common stock of the Company at $100 per share. The entire issue at the time outstanding, but not a part thereof, may be called for redemption by the Company on February 1, 1915, or on any semi-annual interest day thereafter, on ninety days' notice, at 102½ per cent. of the face value thereof and accrued interest, but if so called during the conversion period, the bonds may be converted up to and including the second day of January or July, as the case may be, next preceding the redemption date. Adjustment of accrued interest and current dividend will be made at the time of conversion.

The bonds will mature on February 1, 1930, and will bear interest from February 1, 1910, at the rate of four and one-half per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on February 1 and August 1. The first coupon will be payable August 1, 1910. Both principal and interest will be payable in New York in gold coin of the United States of or equal to the present standard of weight and fineness, without deduction for any tax, assessment or governmental charge which the Company, or the trustee under the indenture providing for the issue thereof, may be required to pay thereon or to retain therefrom under any present or future law of the United States of America, or of any State, county, municipality or other taxing authority therein.

The principal and interest of the bonds will also be payable, at the option of the holder, in London, in sterling, at the fixed rate of exchange of $4.87 per pound sterling.

They will be issuable as coupon bonds each for the principal sum of $1,000, with the privilege of registration as to principal, and will be exchangeable upon reasonable terms for registered bonds without coupons, each for the principal sum of $1,000 or any multiple thereof that may be authorized by the Board of Directors. The registered bonds will, in like manner, be exchangeable for coupon bonds. Bonds may also be issued originally as registered bonds.

The indenture will contain appropriate provision to the end (1) that the Company shall not create any additional mortgage upon the lines of railroad owned by it at the date of the indenture or upon any part thereof without making effective provision in such mortgage that all bonds then outstanding, unpaid and unconverted, under such indenture shall be secured under such mortgage by a lien upon said lines of railroad, which lien shall be upon a parity with the lien thereupon enjoyed by any bonds or other obligations issued under such mortgage and secured thereby; (2) that so long as any of such convertible bonds are outstanding, unpaid and unconverted, no bonds in addition to $11,000,000, the amount thereof now outstanding, shall be issued under the Company's General Funding and Improvement Mortgage, dated January 2, 1909, and (3) that, during the life of the conversion privilege, the Company shall not issue any stock entitled to preference or priority over its common stock or distribute any capital stock by way of stock dividend.

Warrants specifying the amount of bonds in respect of which the stockholder is entitled to a subscription privilege and signed by the treasurer or an assistant treasurer will be mailed as soon as possible after the closing of the books on April 5, 1910, to each stockholder who has filed a permanent dividend order with the Company at the address indicated in such order; where dividends are collected by bankers, brokers, or others on powers of attorney or other authority, the warrants will be sent to such authorized parties for delivery to the stockholders, unless other instructions relative thereto shall have been received. Warrants not provided for as above may be obtained at this office not later than May 9, 1910.

Warrants entitling the holder to subscribe as hereinafter stated will be issued only for amounts of bonds of $1,000 or multiples thereof. For each fraction of a $1,000 bond in respect of which a holder is entitled to a subscription privilege, a fractional warrant will be issued. After May 9, 1910, all fractional warrants will be void and of no effect. No subscription may be made on a fractional warrant, but if surrendered on or before May 9, 1910, to the treasurer, with other fractional warrants aggregating an amount of $1,000, a subscription warrant for a $1,000 bond will be issued in exchange, and if the surrendered fractional warrants include a fraction in excess of $1,000, a new fractional warrant will be issued for such fraction. **Fractional warrants desired by stockholders to complete full bonds, or fractional warrants which stockholders may desire to dispose of, must be bought or sold in the market, as the Company will not sell or purchase such fractions.**

On the back of these warrants will be two forms. In case it is desired to subscribe, the first form is to be filled out and signed by the stockholders or by their assigns; but, in case it is desired to dispose of the subscription privilege, the second form, which is an assignment, is to be filled out and signed by the stockholder.

Where a warrant authorizes a subscription to two or more bonds, a stockholder who may wish to subscribe for a portion of the bonds covered by the warrant and dispose of the balance, or who may wish to dispose of a portion of the bonds covered by a warrant to one person and the balance to another or others, should return his warrant to this office on or before May 9, 1910, to be exchanged for other warrants, specifying in writing the number of warrants desired in exchange and the number of bonds to be covered by each. In no case, however, on such exchange will a fractional warrant be issued.

The price of subscription to each $1,000 bond, payable in New York funds at the office of the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, 55 Cedar Street, New York City, in instalments, is as follows:

At the time of making subscription, on or before May 10, 1910	**$500 00**
On or before June 30, 1910	**450 28**

The latter payment includes adjustment of accrued interest.

Subscriptions may be paid in full at the time of making the subscription on or before May 10, 1910, in which case the amount payable will be $947.37 per $1,000 bond, which includes accrued interest.

The warrants must be surrendered to the United States Mortgage and Trust Company by the stockholders, or by the persons to whom assigned, **on or before May 10, 1910,** accompanied by the payment either of the first instalment or of the full amount payable; all warrants not so surrendered, with such payment, on or before said date, shall be void and of no value.

Failure to pay the second instalment when and as payable will operate as a forfeiture of all the rights in respect of the subscription and the instalment previously paid.

The United States Mortgage and Trust Company will, on surrender of the warrants and payment of the first instalment, issue receipts, which shall be transferable by delivery merely, and which must be presented to the United States Mortgage and Trust Company on or before June 30, 1910, accompanied by the payment of the second instalment.

Upon payment in full of the subscription price delivery will be made by the United States Mortgage and Trust Company (unless the engraved bonds shall then be ready for delivery) of temporary bonds duly executed by the Company, which temporary bonds will be exchangeable for a like principal amount of engraved bonds when the same shall have been prepared.

It is anticipated that engraved bonds will be ready for delivery on or before June 30, 1910.

No subscription or assignment of this privilege will be recognized unless made on the forms of the Company.

No holder of stock of the Company shall be entitled to any of the above mentioned bonds, unless the terms of subscription herein specified are fully complied with.

The subscription and instalment payments must be made at the dates and in accordance with the provisions stated above. Checks or drafts in payment of subscriptions must be drawn in favor of The United States Mortgage and Trust Company, in New York funds, and for the exact amounts covering the respective instalments.

The bonds now offered are issued to provide funds, among other things, for the acquisition of a majority of the common capital stock of the Hocking Valley Railway Company and of a substantial interest in the capital stock of the Kanawha & Michigan Railway Company; for the acquisition from interests in control of pending foreclosure proceedings, who have agreed to acquire the same at foreclosure sale, of the properties of the Chicago, Cincinnati & Louisville Railroad Company or of securities representative thereof; for additions, betterments and improvements, for the purchase of additional motive power and equipment required by the increasing business of the Company, and for other corporate purposes.

The following is a comparative statement of income of the Company for the seven months ending January 31, 1910 and 1909 respectively:

	1910.	1909.	INCREASE.
Operating Revenues	$18,196,567 04	$15,512,574 47	$2,683,992 57
Operating Expenses (including taxes)	11,211,716 03	9,969,669 49	1,242,046 54
Operating Income	$6,984,851 01	$5,542,904 98	$1,441,946 03
Other Income	405,419 08	374,517 75	30,901 33
Gross Income	$7,390,270 09	$5,917,422 73	$1,472,847 36
Less:			
Interest and Rentals	3,489,513 30	3,430,371 21	59,142 09
Other Deductions	43,897 94	46,418 44	*2,520 50
Net Income	$3,856,858 85	$2,440,633 08	$1,416,225 77

*Decrease.

By order of the Board of Directors,

JAS. STEUART MACKIE,

Treasurer.

IN THE REAL ESTATE FIELD

Two Park Row Parcels Sold for Improvement—Another Loft Deal on 27th Street—The Bonavista Reported Sold—Completion of Riverside Drive Assured.

That the erection of the new Municipal Building has had a tendency to quicken the market and increase realty values in its immediate vicinity was shown yesterday in the resale of two parcels in Park Row within a couple of hundred feet of the big structure.

The property, 141 Park Row, consisting of an old building on a lot 16 by 64, was resold for J. B. Bernard, and the adjoining parcel, 139, on a lot 14 by 64, was sold by the Hoffman estate.

William J. Kelly, the buyer of the two parcels, intends to erect in the near future a loft and office building. There have been several other sales and resales in the vicinity during the past couple of weeks. Ames & Co. negotiated both transactions.

Another Loft for 27th Street.

An important sale in the Pennsylvania loft zone was announced yesterday by J. H. Mayers, who has sold for Simon Fink 152 West Twenty-seventh Street, a four-story building on lot 22.2 by 98.9. The buyer is the People's Co-operative Property Company, which recently bought Nos. 144 to 150, adjoining, through the same broker.

The company will erect on the combined site, 67.8 by 98.9, a twelve-story business structure, for which a building loan has been arranged. Several other big loft operations are now under way on the same block.

Sale Near Proposed Tunnel Station.

William J. Roome & Co. have sold for William Sittenham, to a client for investment, the building, 61 West Thirty-seventh Street, seventy-five feet from the corner of Sixth Avenue. This is a five-story studio building, with stores, built on a lot 23.6 by 98.9. This property abutts on the rear 642 Sixth Avenue, which is fifty-eight feet from the corner of Thirty-seventh Street, recently sold by the same brokers to the purchaser of No. 61.

C. A. Rosenthal & Son have sold for Frederick Bender, 546 West Fortieth Street, a five-story tenement, with store, on lot 25 by 100.5.

Site for New Synagogue.

The north corner of Eighty-seventh Street and Central Park West, a five-story flat, owned by the Vanderpoel estate, together with the two adjoining vacant lots, has been sold.

According to report, the property has been acquired by a Jewish congregation, which will build a synagogue on the site. The entire plot has frontages of 75.6 feet on Central Park West and 100 feet on Eighty-seventh Street.

Dwellings Change Owners.

H. C. Senior & Co. have sold for D. J. O'Connor the four-story dwelling 30 West Sixtieth Street on a lot 20 by 100. The property has not changed hands in over twenty-three years.

Robert I. Jenks has sold 35 East Sixty-fifth Street, a four-story dwelling on lot 16.8 by 100.5.

Charles Volzing & Son have sold to a client for the estate of Anna C. Port the five-story and basement tenement 7 East Third Street.

The Bonavista Reported Sold.

There was a report current in realty circles yesterday that the Bonavista apartment house at the southeast corner of 109th Street and Riverside Drive had been sold to an out-of-town buyer at a figure exceeding $900,000.

The Bonavista is a ten-story fireproof structure built about six years ago by Paul B. Pugh. It covers a frontage of 151.10 feet on the drive and 100 feet on 109th Street.

Mr. Pugh denied last evening that the property had been sold.

Resale of 238 West 108th Street.

The Braude-Papae Company has resold for the Anaconda Realty and Construction Company 238 West 108th Street, near Broadway, a garage building on lot 25 by 100. This property was recently acquired by the Anaconda Company through the same brokers in part payment for 522 and 530 West 136th Street.

Harlem Plot Sold for Improvement.

S. Albert has resold for G. B. Arthur to the Worcester Construction Company the plot 100 by 100 on the south side of 149th Street, 175 feet west of Seventh Avenue. The buyer will build two six-story flats.

Bronx Sales.

The Two Borough Realty Company has sold for George H. Janss the two-family house 827 East 227th Street, on lot 25 by 100 and a plot of eight lots on Chestnut Street, Arden estate tract; also sold to Mr. Janss the following plots: Four lots on the east side of Webster Avenue, 125 feet south of 171st Street; the northeast corner of Clay Avenue and 175th Street, a plot 45 by 95; the southeast corner of the Grand Boulevard and Concourse and 203d Street, a plot 75 by 100; four lots on the south side of 228th Street, 105 feet east of Bronxwood Avenue, and five lots on the south side of 217th Street, about 225 feet east of Bronxwood Avenue. The same brokerage concern has resold the 217th and 228th Street plots for Mr. Janss.

Kurz & Uren have sold for Albert C. Lorey the vacant lot, 25 by 99.9, on the south side of 145th Street, 149.5 feet west of St. Ann's Avenue.

Collins & Barry have sold for Charles Horning, Jr., the three-story dwelling 2,082 Washington Avenue, on lot 25 by 95.

Clement H. Smith has sold for the Wechsler estate the southeast corner of 182d Street and Park Avenue, 100 by 100, to Mr. Davis.

Bauer & Co., in conjunction with Kurz & Uren, have resold the southeast corner of Walton Avenue and 176th Street, for Mr. Benenson, to a client.

Suburban Sales.

Powers & Steers report the sale to R. D. Bennett of Bluemont, Va., and New York City of 30 acres of land on Chestnut Ridge, near Montvale, N. J., for the estate of Amelie Nouvel. The house on this property is probably one of the best examples of the old Dutch Colonial style of architecture remaining intact in the country.

The Fox Realty Company sold for Henry W. Carpenter to W. F. H. Maclay of Yonkers, his country seat at Orienta Point, Mamaroneck. Mr. Maclay, after alterations, will occupy.

A. J. McClure of Manhattan has purchased through R. Lawrence Smith the George D. Squires tract of woodland and shore front property situated at East-hampton, L. I. This property adjoins that recently purchased by W. R. Grace and is known as the Hurlly Farm.

H. Ward Leonard of Lawrence Park, Bronxville, the President of the Ward Leonard Electric Company, has purchased a plot of nearly three acres in Sagamore at Bronxville.

The George W. Bard Real Estate Company has purchased for a client the property on Prospect Avenue, about 230 feet on Crary Avenue, running through to Elm Place, in the City of Mount Vernon, on which will be erected a large office building.

The same firm has contracted for an auction sale of real estate in the Schuster sub-division in the Fleetwood section, Mount Vernon. They will divide a large portion into lots for a residential purpose, and a sale will be held on Decoration Day. The work on the streets and avenues is now progressing rapidly and the property will be open for inspection as soon as the weather is settled.

Eugene V. Welsh of Morristown has sold for Mahlon Cole of Mendham, N. J., his 103-acre farm to Percy W. Kennaday of West Orange. The property was held at $16,000 and was in the possession of the Cole family since 1843, when Mr. Cole's father bought it from Nathaniel Cary. This is the second large farm sold in the Mendham section by the above broker within the last six months. Last Fall he sold the 130-acre farm of William Menagh to ex-Gov. Murphy. Mr. Kennaday intends to occupy his new purchase in the near future.

Recent Buyers.

John Claflin of the H. B. Claflin Company is the actual buyer of 22 West Thirty-fifth Street, sold recently by Albert B. Ashforth for L. & A. Pincus.

Miss Catherine McCabe and others are the buyers of 341 West Forty-sixth Street, sold on Monday by John P. Kerwan for the King estate.

Josephine M. Schweinler of West Orange, N. J., has taken title to 157 to 161 West Twenty-ninth Street, 64.10 by 113.11, from Louis Stern.

W. Clarence Martin is the buyer of 43 West Forty-sixth Street.

George Boyd is the buyer of the dwelling 172 West Ninety-fourth Street, sold recently through Pease & Elliman.

Bradhurst Avenue Apartments.

Plans have been filed with Building Supt. Miller for three six-story flats to be erected at the northeast corner of Bradhurst Avenue and 151st Street from designs by Gronenberg & Leuchtag as architects for the C. N. and S. A. Construction Company, Samuel Augenblick, President. The corner building will contain thirty-five suites with ground floor stores, and the two adjoining houses will have forty-one suites each. The total cost will be $200,000.

Building in the Dyckman Tract.

As one result of the recent revival of selling in the old Dyckman tract, plans were filed yesterday for two five-story flats to contain twenty-eight and thirty-four suites respectively, with ground floor stores, to be built on Tenth Avenue east of Emerson Street, for the Charles Hensle Realty Company to cost $60,000. The architects are Gronenberg & Leuchtag.

New Private Home in 73d Street.

Plans have been filed for a four-story and basement residence to be built at 14 East Seventy-third Street, for Mrs. H. M. Spraker at a cost of $40,000, from designs by William A. Boring as architect, the plans replacing those for the alteration of the existing dwelling on the site, which was the original project of improvement.

Will Complete Riverside Drive.

After a delay of over five years work is to be resumed at once on the extension of Riverside Drive, and the work will be rushed with all possible speed to completion.

An injunction obtained by Jesse Gillender, who owned a plot west of the drive, restraining the city from closing West 151st Street, where it crosses the drive, has been dissolved by Judge Fitzgerald. He received an award of $17,000.

Famous John Quinn Stable Leased.

The Uptown Realty Company has leased through Cross & Brown the garage opposite the Harlem Casino, at 154 to 169 West 124th Street, to Darius L. Mills and Charles H. Potter, for a long term, at a rental aggregating $200,000.

The garage is one of the largest in Harlem, and was originally a stable for race horses, conducted by John Quinn. The building was remodeled a few years ago, and has capacity for storing 250 automobiles.

Notes.

Abraham Nussbaum has placed with the estate of Samuel J. Solomon a loan of $14,000 for five years on the five-story single flat 342 East Fifty-eighth Street.

John M. Royall has sold for the heirs of the Joyce estate, consisting of 212 acres of land with improvements, at Block Stone, Va. The property brought a good price.

Fish & Marvin have been appointed agents for the Sagamore properties at Bronxville, Westchester County, N. Y.

Results at Auction.

Yesterday's offerings in the Real Estate Salesrooms, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Joseph P. Day.

2d Av, 740, e s, 49.4 ft s of 40th St, 24.8x100, five-story tenement and store and three-story tenement in rear; foreclosure sale, to G. N. Fischer, $23,632.

1st Av, 846, e s, 26 ft n of 47th St, 24.10x80, five-story tenement and store; foreclosure sale, to the plaintiff, Ernest Wibel, $16,000.

129th St, 113, n s, 190 ft e of Park Av, 25x99.11, five-story tenement and store; foreclosure sale, adjourned to March 28.

115th St, 111 and 113, n s, 89.6 ft e of Park Av, 36.6x75x irregular, six-story tenement and stores; foreclosure sale, adjourned to April 1.

100th St, 183 and 185, n s, 145 ft e of Lexington Av, 50x100.11, six-story tenement; foreclosure sale, adjourned sine die.

By Samuel Marx.

Clinton Av, 1,996, e s, 20.5 ft s of 179th St, 24.7x100, two-story dwelling; foreclosure sale, adjourned to April 5.

102d St, 60, s s, 151 ft w of Park Av, 30x100.11, five-story tenement; foreclosure sale, to the plaintiff, L. H. Klugherz, $27,534.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

List of Plans Filed for New Structures in Manhattan and the Bronx.

Bradhurst Av, n e corner of 151st St, for three six-story brick flats and stores, 50x114.6; C. H. & S. A. Construction Co. of 1,400 5th Av, owner; Gronenberg & Leuchtag, architects; cost, $200,000.

10th Av, w s, 184.3 ft s of Emerson St, for a five-story brick tenement and store, 54.11x126.7; Charles Hensle Realty Co. of 3,216 Broadway, owner; Gronenberg & Leuchtag, architects; cost, $60,000.

73d St, 14 East, for a four-story-and-basement dwelling, 22.6x63.9; Mrs. H. M. Spraker of 62 West 45th St, owner; W. A. Boring, architect; cost, $40,000.

184th St, n s, 200 ft w of Amsterdam Av, for a five-story brick flat, 50x87.9; Van Norden Construction Co. of 561 West 181st St, owner; Neville & Bagge, architects; cost, $50,000.

261st St, n s, 25.61 ft w of Fieldstone Road, for a two-story brick dwelling, 20x52; Gladys E. Brunel of 115 West 42d St, owner; Emile Brunel, architect; cost, $5,500.

155th St, s s, 70 ft e of Melrose Av, for a five-story brick tenement, 50x88; Benjamin Benenson of 407 East 153d St, owner; Schaefer & Jaeger, architects; cost, $40,000.

Bassford Av, e s, 264.12 ft n of 182d St, for two four-story brick tenements, size irregular; Phelan Brothers Construction Company of 1,910 Webster Av, owner; M. W. Del Gaudio, architect; cost, $45,000.

Clason Point Road, n s, 25 ft 8 in e of Gilbert Place, for four three-story brick stores and dwellings, 19.3½x55 each; Laine Realty Co. of 874 East 156th St, owner; Adolph Mertin, architect; cost, $40,000.

Alterations.

Items involving less than $5,000 omitted.

Rivington St, 159, to a four-story brick picture show and lodge room; M. Tischler, premises, owner; Shampon & Shampon, architects; cost, $25,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

FRIDAY, MARCH 25.

BRYANT AV, s e corner of 181st St, 111.2x115; William H. Booth to Maria Krabo and Johanna R. Ernst, $100.

CHURCH ST, n e corner of Vesey St, 75x28.3x irregular x 52.5; Emanuel Heilner and others to John T. Underwood, (mtg $165,000,) $100.

FREEMAN ST, s s, 109.5 ft e of Vyse Av, 82x101.10x75x136.1; Emanuel Glauber and others to Lewis Realty and Construction Co., (mtg $5,750,) $100.

GRAND BOULEVARD AND CONCOURSE, e s, 106.9 ft n of 189th St, a strip, 46.1x3.11; John B. Haskin estates to Arthur E. Briggs, $100.

HUGHES AV, e s, 1,473 ft n of 180th St, 25.1x81.6; Catherine F. Cox to James Perrone and Andrew Russo, (mtg $5,500,) $100.

KINGSBRIDGE ROAD, 28, s s, 16x80; Fleischmann Realty and Construction Co. to Edward D. Kelly, (mtg $6,500,) $100.

LOT 114, map of Cammann estate at Fordham Heights; Fleischmann Realty and Construction Co. to McLernon Realty and Construction Co., $100.

LOT 17, Block 468, map (890) of Isabel T. Perry part of Fox estate; Victor Gerhards to Rosa Breitenbach, (mtg $2,500,) $100.

MADISON AV, n w corner of 94th St, 100.8x42.9; Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York to Ronald H. Macdonald, $100.

MADISON AV, s e corner of 96th St, 75.8x irregular x100.8x100; P. Samuel Rigney to William N. Harte, (mtg $190,000,) $100.

MAIN ST, e s, adjoining land of Stephen or Sands Valentine, runs n e 210 to land of William Bourne x s e 39 x s w 200 to street x n w 40 to beginning; Michael Dugan to Herbert J. Cantrell, ½ part, (mtg $6,000,) $100.

MONROE ST, 235, n s, 23.8x96; Maurice Goodman to Michael Rothstein, $21,925.

NELSON AV, 1,621; August Nelson to Jacob Stumpf, (mtg $6,000,) $100.

OAK TERRACE, s s, 61 ft e of Crimmins Av, 25x100; Marcus Beekmann to Evangelische Lutherische Concordia Gemeinde, a religious corporation, $8,200.

PLOT 7, Map 1,338 of Fort Washington and Buena Vista Syndicate; Leopold Weil to Cotoba Realty and Construction Co., (mtg $30,000,) $100.

ROCK ST, n s, 130 ft w of Old Albany Road, 50x60x50x40; Christopher Keefe to Mary E. Keefe, $1.

BUSH ST, s s, 139.6 ft w of Grand Boulevard and Concourse, 23.6x75; George E. Buckbee to Elizabeth C. Slayton, (mtg $6,000,) $100.

ST. NICHOLAS AV, s e corner of 174th St, 100x100; Daniel B. Freedman to Stratford-Avon Co., (mtg $47,500,) $100.

TRINITY AV, 968, e s, 329.6 ft s of 165th St, 27.6x100; John G. Borgstede to Hugh P. O'Rorke, (mtg $6,000,) $100.

VALENTINE AV, s e corner of 197th St, 26.9x90; Elizabeth Cantrell to Herbert J. Cantrell, (mtg $1,600,) $100.

WASHINGTON AV, 1,063, w s, 25x200; Marcellin F. Dellore to Clarice M. Cassot, (mtg $32,500,) $100.

2D AV, 1,867, w s, 25.6 ft n of 96th St, 25x100; Wilhelmina Giering to Bella Hass, (mtg $20,500,) $1.

2D AV, 2,487, w s, 24.4x100; Fanny Gruen to Jonas Weil and Bernhard Mayer, $100.

3D AV, n w corner of 113th St, 100.11x140; Lizzie L., wife of Marcus A. Ball and heir of J. L. Schwarz, to Louis K. Ungrich, as trustee for Julia, Jacob M., and Louis K. Schwarz, and Julia E. Linnett, quitclaim, $1.

3D AV, 2,238, w s, 25x100; Hopkins Security Co. to I. Blyn & Sons, (mtg $45,000,) $1.

7TH ST, 38 East, s s, 24.5x90.10; William Kerner to Harris Sokolski, ½ right, title, and interest, (mtg $24,000,) $100.

8TH AV, 415 to 419, s w corner of 31st St, 49.4x100; Harriet C. Warren to Harry P. Ward of Closter, N. J., (mtg $60,000,) $1.

8TH AV, 415 to 419, s w corner of 31st St, 49.4x100; Harry P. Ward to Fay Realty Co, (mtg $140,000,) $100.

9TH ST, 15 West, n s, 174x92.3; Charles Lanier, executor, to John J. Bogert and Elizabeth, his wife, $100.

21ST ST, 41 East, n s, 25x98.9; John S. Melcher to John E. Olson Construction Co., (mtg $90,000,) $100.

23D ST, 153 to 157 West, 60x98.9; Charles Buek Construction Co. to Irving Fischel Construction Co., (mtg $150,000,) $100.

28TH ST, 37 and 39 East, n s, 41.8x98.9; John E. Olson Construction Co. to John S. Melcher, (mtg $185,000,) $100.

29TH ST, 157 to 161 West, n s, 64.10x113.11; Louis Stern to Josephine M. Schweinler of West Orange, N. J., (mtg $62,000,) $100.

37TH ST, 243 West, n s, 25x98.9; Louis Bernstein to Louis Bernstein's Co., (mtg $30,000,) $1.

37TH ST, n s, 250 ft e of 8th Av, 25x98.9; Caroline I. Shaben to Louis Bernstein, ⅛ part, $4,750.

37TH ST, n s, 250 ft e of 8th Av, 25x98.9; Caroline I. Shaben and others to Louis Bernstein's Co., (3 deeds,) $1.

70TH ST, 205 West, n s, 17x100.5; Charlotte M. Fiske to Nellie H. Griesel, (mtg $20,000,) $100.

99TH ST, 162 West, s s, 15.4x76.1; Cornelia Smith to Thomas A. Callahan, (mtg $6,000,) $100.

100TH ST, n s, 95 ft e of Lexington Av, 50x100.11; Richard H. Clarke to Morris and Harry Gordon, (mtg $8,000,) $9,500.

107TH ST, 214 and 216 East, s s, 43.8x100.11; 107th St, 218 and 220 East, s s, 43.8x100.11; Clara Ruderman to Stephen A. Jackson, $100.

108TH ST, 238 West, s s, 25.4x100.11; Anaconda Realty and Construction Co. to Lassette & Murphy, a corporation, (mtg $14,000,) $100.

121ST ST, 232 East, s s, 260 ft w of 2d Av, 25x½ block; Mary Grolig to J. Ullman, ½ part, (mtg $19,000,) $1.

123D ST, 105 and 107 East, n s, 70x100.1; Daniel G. Griffin to Palber Realty Co., $100.

128TH ST, 25 East, n s, 20x99.11; Madison Av, 2,020, n w corner of 128th St, 19.11x70; Lucy A. Kennelly to Kate C. Wood, $1.

148TH ST, n s, 149.6 ft n of St. Ann's Av, 37.6x84.9; Emil G. Rupprecht to Marie Rupprecht, (mtg $33,000,) $100.

227TH ST, n w corner of Barnes Av, 64x105, Wakefield; John J. O'Brien to Thomas G. O'Brien, $1.

Recorded Mortgages.

Interest is at 5% unless otherwise specified.

BRANNIS, Anna, to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; Madison Av, 1,851, e s, 16x83....$5,000

BROOK CONSTRUCTION CO. to Leon Weinshank; Washington Av, s e corner of St. Paul's Place, 40.1x100, prior mtg $50,000, 3 years, 6%....$8,500

CALLAHAN, Thomas A., to William Hannessen; 99th St, 162 West, s s, 15.4x76.1; 3 years, 5½%....$8,000

CHRIST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Mount Hope, N. Y., to Metropolitan Savings Bank; Eastburn Av, n e corner of 175th St, 14.8x —, 5 years....$22,000

COLLINS, Bernard, to James P. Judge; Orchard St, s, at n e corner of land of James S. Deveau, 100x100, City Island, due April 1, 1913, 5½%....$2,000

COTOBA REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION CO. to Leopold Weill; Plot 7, map of 55 plots of Fort Washington and Buena Vista Syndicate, due, &c., as per bond....$12,500

EVANGELISCH LUTHERISCHE CONCORDIA Gemeinde, a corporation, to Marcus Beckman; Oak Terrace, s s, 61 ft e of Crimmins Av, 25x100, 5 years, 4%....$6,500

GIBSON, Emily, and another to New York Life Insurance Co.; John St, 85 and 87, n e s, at n w s of Gold St, 41.5x100.6x44.6x97.6, 5 years, 4½%....$135,000

GIBSON, Emily, and another to Alfred L. White; John St, 85 and 87, n e s, at n w s of Gold St, 41.5x100.6x44.6x97.6, prior mtg $135,000, 1 year, 6%....$5,000

GROB, Amelia, and Joseph Selg to Union Trust Co. of New York; 86th St, n s, 270 ft w of 1st Av, 25x100.8, 5 years, 4½%..$10,000

HANDY REALTY CO. to City Mortgage Co.; Mott Av, s e corner of 144th St, 100x100, demand, 6%....$67,500

HEBREW TABERNACLE ASSOCIATION to Minnie Koenigsberg and another; 130th St, 218 and 228 West, s s, 40x99.11, prior mtg $30,000....$6,000

IRVING-FISCHEL CONSTRUCTION CO. to Bronx Investment Co.; 23d St, 153 to 157 West, n s, 60x98.9, 1 year, 6%....$150,000

IRVING-FISCHEL CONSTRUCTION CO. to Charles Buck Construction Co.; 23d St, 153 to 157 West, n s, 60x98.9, prior mtg $300,000....$50,000

KRABO, Marie, to American Mortgage Co.; Bryant Av, s e corner of 181st St, 35.2x106, 1 year, 5½%....$35,000

KRABO, Marie, to American Mortgage Co.; Bryant Av, e s, 35.2 ft s of 181st St, 2 lots, each 38x109.10, 1 year, 5½%; 2 mtgs, each....$28,000

KUHN-LAWSON CO. to Irving Savings Institution; 157th St, s s, 24.3 ft w of Boulevard Lafayette, 112.6x99.11, 5 years..$175,000

LEVY, Hermann, and Jacob & Lewis to Greenwich Savings Bank; 2d St, s s, 238.4 ft w of Avenue B, runs s 105.3 x w 14.1 x s 0.2 x w 13.11 x n 105.5 to street x e 28 to beginning, due as per bond....$28,000

LEWIS REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION CO. to Emanuel Glauber and another; Freeman St, s s, 109.5 ft e of Vyse Av, 82x102.10x75x136.11, 1 year, 6%....$36,000

LEWIS REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION CO. to Emanuel Glauber and another; Freeman St, s s, 109.5 ft e of Vyse Av, 82x102.10x75x136.11, 1 year, 6%....$18,250

LIPPE, Henry J., to American Mortgage Co.; Beekman Place, n w corner of Mitchell Place, 19x80, 5 years....$9,500

LOUIS BERNSTEIN CO. to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; 37th St, 245 West, 25x98.9, due, &c., as per bond....$21,000

MACDONALD, Ronald H., to Mutual Life Insurance Comapny of New York; Madison Av, n w corner of 94th St, 100.8x42.9, due, &c., as per bond....$70,000

McBRIDE, Elizabeth, to George H. Storm; Andrews Av, 2,338, e s, 198.11 ft s of Fordham Av, 25x100, prior mtg —, 1 year, 6%....$2,000

McLERNON REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION Co. to Fleischman Realty and Construction Co.; Lot 114, amended map of Cammann estate at Fordham Heights, prior mtg $1,000, 2 years, 6%....$1,840

McLERNON REALTY AND CONSTRUCTION Co. to Corn Exchange Bank; Lot 114, amended map of Cammann estate at Fordham Heights, 3 years, 6%....$1,000

McNALLY, Margaret M., to Mary Dumas; Beech Terrace, n s, 100 ft w of Beekman Av, 25x125, 3 years, 6%....$2,200

MURTHA, Eugene I., to Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York; 6th Av, 839, w s, 20x84, March 24, due as per bond....$2,000

NATHAN B. LEVIN CO. to Frederick P. Hummel; 197th St, n s, 76.2 ft w of Briggs Av, 2 lots, each 20x90, 2 mtgs, each $6,500, 3 years....$13,000

O'ROURKE, Hugh P., to Mary E. Doyle; Trinity Av, 768, e s, 27.6x100, 1 year, 6%....$2,000

PETO REALTY CO. to Adams Realty Co.; Pinehurst Av, s e corner of 178th St, 127.6x101.11, demand, 6%....$10,000

PORTER REALTY AND DEVELOPMENT CO. to Dollar Savings Bank; Lot 40 and twenty-one other lots on map of Joseph Husson at Clason's Point, due June 1, 1913, 6%...$10,000

ROTHSTEIN, Michael, to Moritz Newman; Monroe St, 235, n s, 23.8x96x24x96, 1 year, 6%....$3,250

SCHATTGEN, Thekla A., to Bowery Savings Bank; Jackson Av, 734, e s, 18.9x87.6, 5 years....$5,000

SCHATTGEN, Thekla A., to Bertha Schmuck; Jackson Av, 734, e s, 18.9x87.6, prior mtg $5,000, demand....$1,000

SCHREIBER, Flora, to Minnie Wollner; Washington Av, e s, 162 ft s of Mott St, 62x120; 170th St, n s, 126.4 ft e of Park Av, 48x —, prior mtg $31,000, 3 years, 6%....$5,000

SCHWEINLER, Josephine M., to Louis Stern; 29th St, n s, 144.1 ft e of 7th Av, 39.11x100x27.11x98.9; 29th St, n s, 184 ft of 7th Av, 24.11x113.11x25x11.1, prior mtg $62,200, due as per bond....$48,000

SLAYTON, Elizabeth C., to George E. Buckbee; Bush St, s s, 139.6 ft w of Grand Boulevard, 23.6x75, prior mtg $6,000, due, &c., as per bond....$1,000

SOKOLSKI, Harris, and another to John T. Willets, as Treasurer; 7th St, 38 East, s s, 24.5x90.10, 5 years, 4½%....$22,000

WALTER, Magdalena, to Louise Booss; 166th St, n s, 127.1 ft e of Park Av, 95x —, 3 years, 5½%....$35,000

WARD, Harry P., to Harriet C. Warren; 8th Av, s w corner of 31st St, 49.4x100, prior mtg —, 5 years, 4½%....$80,000

WARREN, Christine E., to Lawyers Title, Insurance and Trust Co.; Prospect Av, 1,324, e s, 37.6x100, 5 years....$30,000

WESTERVELT, Walter, to Kate E. Engel; 68th St, s s, 100 ft w of West End Av, 50x100.5, prior mtg $—, 1 year....$15,000

WIGGINS, Charles B., to Sarah F. Peck; 134th St, 19 West, n s, 17.10x99.11, prior mtg $6,500, due Sept. 24, 1911, —%....$300

WIGMORE, James, to Idah J. Wright; 148th St, 291 East, n s, 25x106.6, 3 years....$1,000

WOOD, Kate C., to Regina T. Lohman; Madison Av, 2,020, n w corner of 128th St, 19.11x70, due as per bond....$16,500

WOOD, Kate C., to Regina T. Lohman; 128th St, n s, 70 ft w of Madison Av, 20x99.11, due as per bond....$10,500

WOYTISEK, Mary, to Mary K. Kingsland; 7th Av, n e corner of 138th St, 25x100, 5 years, 4½%....$36,000

Mechanics' Liens.

96TH ST, 328 West; Otto Miller against Rose Eathoven, owner and contractor, $42.

9TH AV, s e corner of 54th St, 135.10x525; Dennis J. Kerns against Metropolitan St Ry Co, owner; Artistic Marble Co., sub-contractor; Byrne & Murphy, contractor, $315.

KELLY ST, e s, 230 ft n of 165th St, 50x100; Harlen Supply Co. against Albert Supply Co.; Albert Gerbard, owner and contractor, $138.

7TH ST, 64 East; Harris Goldberg and others against Rebecca Spielberg, owner; Alexander Dickson Co., contractor, $388.

HUGHES AV, 2,110; Oscar E. Koukle against P. D'Auria, owner and contractor, $4.

BROADWAY, 1,457 to 1,463, and 7th Av, 589 to 593; Electric Carriage Call and Specialty Co. against estate of Henry Phipps, owner; United States Restaurant and Realty Co., contractor, $2,315.

BROADWAY, 1,457 to 1,461; 7th Av, 587 to 593; Frederick Porsth against estate of Henry Phipps, owner; United States Restaurant and Realty Co., contractor, $2,460.

BROADWAY, 1,457 to 1,461; 7th Av, 587 to 593; Westinghouse, Church, Kerr & Co. against estate of Henry Phipps, owner; United States Restaurant and Realty Co., contractor, $5,357.

BROADWAY, 1,457 to 1,461; 7th Av, 587 to 593; McNulty Brothers against estate of Henry Phipps, owner; United States Restaurant and Realty Co., contractor, $5,660.

LENOX AV, s e corner of 138th St, 100x99.11; Goldfarb & Bookbinder against Annie Strauss, owner and contractor; Asher Strauss, contractor, $24.

WATERLOO AV, s e corner of 176th St, 98x65; Charles Bjorkegren against Cornelia E. McCormack, owner and contractor, $1,178.

176TH ST, 887 East; Charles Bjorkegren against Cornelia E. McCormack, owner and contractor, $729.

Satisfied Mechanics' Liens.

107TH ST, 68 West; National Elevator Co. against William Dangler and others, Feb. 24, 1910, $64.

5TH AV, 303 and 305; Phoenix Iron Works against Fifth Avenue Improved Property Holding Co. and others, March 10, 1910, $350.

FOREST AV, n w corner of 158th St; Gustav Ernst against William F. Rohrig Co. and others, March 23, 1910, $1,350.

FOREST AV, n e corner of 158th St; Fireproof Sash and Door Co. against William F. Rohrig Co. and others, March 24, 1910, $310.

Lis Pendens.

92D ST, s s, 200 ft w of 1st Av, 50x100.8; Samuel Ginsberg against Theron S. Johnson and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Monfried & Feinberg.

110TH ST, s s, 300 ft e of 2d Av, 50x100.11; State Bank against Eliseo Saggese and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, W. T. Kohn.

218TH ST, s s, Lot 689, map of village of Wakefield, Bronx; William B. Hobby, trustee, against Peter Kieran and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, S. Koeler.

127TH ST, s s, 127.6 ft w of Park Av, 12.6x99.11; Charles C. Jacobs against F. James Parks, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, R. K. Jacobs.

LOTS 20 to 23, map of property of St. Joseph's Orphan Asylum, Bronx; Charles Goldzier, receiver, against Joseph Foerst and others, (action to set aside deed, &c.;) attorney, N. Elank.

3D AV, s w corner of 178th St, 22.6x79.2; Bazena T. Downes against Ann Graham, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, E. F. Moran.

LOT 41 and portion of Lot 42, map of Fairmount, Upper Morrisania, Bronx; Bazena T. Downes against Katherine F. Merritt and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, E. F. Moran.

47TH ST, s s, 311 ft w of 2d Av, 19x100.5; Alphonsus L. Poole, executor, against William Weinstock and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Bowers & Sands.

HOUSTON ST, n s, adjoining land of estate of Adam Hartell, 22.6x100; John M. Bowers, executor, against David Cohen and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, M. S. Borland.

146TH ST, s s, 125 ft w of Lenox Av, 225x99.11, except parts released; Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York against Julius Bachrach and others, (amended foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, J. McKeen.

3D AV, w s, 22.6 ft s of 178th St, 20.6x79.10; Bazena T. Downes against William G. Mulligan, executor, and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, E. F. Moran.

5TH AV, 2,195; Stephen D. Pringle against Davis Levy and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, C. Wood.

BROAD ST, e s, 134.11 ft s of 176th St, 17.8x100; Bazena T. Downes against Marie W. Walles and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, E. F. Moran.

98TH ST, 139 West; Josephine A. Stewart and others against Charles Schwarz, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, S. S. Terry.

119TH ST, 202 West; Tenement House Department against Isaac Goodstein, (notice of levy;) attorney, W. Chilvers.

MULBERRY ST, 42; Tenement House Department against Michael Berardini, (notice of levy;) attorney, W. Chilvers.

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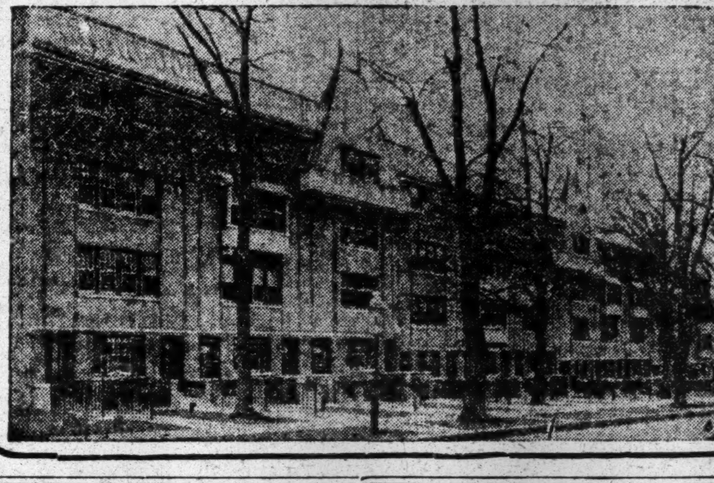

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LEGAL NOTICES.

New York, March 15th, 1910.

REFERRING TO NOTICE OF FEBRUARY 26th, 1910, heretofore given by THE NIAGARA FALLS POWER COMPANY, in view of the very large proportion of debentures exchanged as therein provided, we are prepared, following the company's instructions, to continue exchanges of debentures Series A, Series B, and Series C, to and including March 31, 1910, upon the terms heretofore prescribed.

BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY, Agent.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—ALL THE CREDitors of S. Krone, 1,680 Washington Av., should take notice that I have sold the store on March 23d, 1910.

AUCTION SALES

ANDREW J. McCORMACK, Auctioneer
REGULAR AUCTION SALE OF
STOCKS AND BONDS
By ADRIAN H. MULLER & SON
OFFICE, NO. 55 WILLIAM ST.
Wednesday, March 30th, 1910
at 12:30 o'clock, at the
EXCHANGE SALESROOM,
NOS. 14 AND 16 VESEY STREET.

BY ORDER OF TRUSTEE IN BANKRUPTCY.
20 shs. Distilling Co. of America common.
100 shs. Electric Vehicle Co. common.
10 shs. Greene Consolidated Gold Co.
BY ORDER OF EXECUTORS.
$1,000 Chic. & No. Western Ry. Co. Consld Skg. Fund 7% Bd., 1915.
$3,000 Pitts., Ft. Wayne & Chic. Ry. Co. 2d Mtge., Series "H," 7% Bds., 1912.
FOR ACCT. OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
2,500 shs. Butte-New York Copper Co.
$302,000 Pan-American Co. 6% Coll. Trust Notes, due Oct. 1, 1914.
$8,588.50, an acceptance of the Cafetal-Carlota Co., 25 Broad St., N. Y., payable April 23, 1910.
5,000 pesos Mexican Government 4½% Notes, due 1913, indorsed by the Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Ry. Co.
2 shs. Manhattan Co. Bank.
24 shs. Metropolitan Trust Co.
50 shs. National City Bank.
5 shs. New Netherland Bank.
30 shs. United States Mortgage & Trust Co.
50 shs. Savoy Trust Co.
$10,000 West Virginia Pulp & Paper Co. 5s, 1921.
50 shs. Niagara Fire Ins. Co.
10 shs. Astor Trust Co.
20 shs. National City Bank.
25 shs. Guaranty Trust Co. free stock.
25 shs. Title Insurance Co.
250 shs. American Light & Traction Co. Pfd.
100 shs. International Silver Co. common.
$50,000 Mobile & Ohio R. R. (St. Louis & Cairo) 1st Guar. 4s, 1931.
55 shs. Union Ferry Co. of N. Y. & B'klyn.
20 shs. Northern Bank.
20 shs. Equitable Trust Co., N. Y.
1¼ shs. Union Bank of B'klyn free stock.
$2,000 Prescott & Arizona Central R. R. 1st Mtge. Bds., July, 1893, coupons.
$10,000 Kansas City Western Ry. Co. 1st Refunding 5s, 1925.
$6,000 City of New York 4% Corporate Water Stock, Nov., 1958.
100 shs. Missouri, Kansas & Texas Ry. common.
300 shs. Buffalo & Susquehanna R. R. Co. Pfd.
100 shs. Keystone Telephone Co. common.
100 shs. Twelfth Ward Bank.
6 shs. Nineteenth Ward Bank.
$5,000 Jamaica Estates 6% Regstd. Bds.
$10,000 New Bern Gas 5% Gold Bds., 1939.
$12,000 Morgan's Louisiana & Texas 1st 7s, 1918.
$24,000 N. Y. Central R. R., Mich. Central Coll. 3½% Gold Bds., 1998.
$6,000 Guanajuato Consld. Mining & Milling Co. 7% Bds.
500 shs. Carmen-Guanajuato Gold Mining Co.
10 shs. Union Bank of Brooklyn.

DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, FIXTURES.

CHARLES SHONGOOD, Auctioneer,
Sells on Monday, March 28th, 1910,
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M. SCOTE, auctioneer, 85 Rue St. Lazare, Paris, assisted by M. Feral, 7 Rue St. Georges, and MM. Pauline and Lasquin, 10 Rue Chauchat and 11 Rue Grange Bateliere, experts, will sell by public auction at the Hotel Drouot, Rooms No. 9, 10 and 11, on April 15, 1910, at 2 P. M., and April 16, 1910, at 3:30 P. M.,

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BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

NO. 12,272—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of MARY G. MILTENBERGER, Bankrupt.

To the creditors of Mary G. Miltenberger of the City and County of New York, and district aforesaid, a bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that on the 22d day of April, A. D. 1909, the said Mary G. Miltenberger was duly adjudicated bankrupt, and that the first meeting of creditors will be held at the office of Macgrane Coxe, referee in bankruptcy, Room No. 1,375, in the Hudson Terminal Buildings, No. 50 Church Street, City and County of New York, on the 7th day of April, A. D. 1910, at 12 o'clock noon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

MACGRANE COXE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
March 26th, 1910.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—SIGMUND BROMBERG and JACOB JACOBY, Bankrupts.

Notice is hereby given that Sigmund Bromberg and Jacob Jacoby, bankrupts, have filed their petition, dated January 27th, 1910, praying for a discharge from all their debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, April 4th, 1910, at 10:30 A. M., then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioners should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

MACCRANE COXE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, March 26th, 1910.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHern District of New York.—DAVID S. BROWN, JR., Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that David S. Brown, Jr., bankrupt, has filed his petition, dated February 10th, 1910, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, April 4th, 1910, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

MACGRANE COXE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, March 26th, 1910.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHern District of New York.—GUY W. CULGIN, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Guy W. Culgin, bankrupt, has filed his petition, dated January 18th, 1910, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, April 4th, 1910, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

MACGRANE COXE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, March 26th, 1910.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHern District of New York.—WILLIAM P. ANDREWS, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that William P. Andrews, bankrupt, has filed his petition, dated March 17th, 1910, praying for the confirmation of a composition in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, April 4th, 1910, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

MACGRANE COXE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, March 26th, 1910.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHern District of New York.—PINKUS KOFFLER, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Pinkus Koffler, bankrupt, has filed his petition, dated March 4th, 1910, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, April 4th, 1910, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

MACGRANE COXE,
Referee in Bankruptcy.
New York, March 24th, 1910.

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REFEREES' NOTICES.

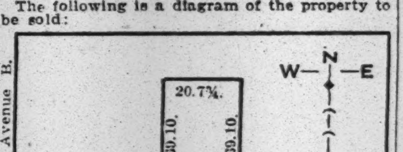
NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, COUNTY of New York.—THE METROPOLITAN SAVINGS BANK, Plaintiff, against CHARLES SCHIMMER ET AL., Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made in the above-entitled action, bearing date the seventh day of March, 1910, and entered in the Office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the eighth day of March, 1910, I, the undersigned, the Referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, Nos. 14 and 16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan in the City of New York, on the 6th day of April, 1910, at twelve o'clock noon of that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Manhattan of the City of New York, in the County and State of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Eighth Street, distant two hundred and eighty (280) feet and four and one-half (4½) inches easterly from the northeasterly corner of Eighth Street and Avenue B; thence running easterly along the northerly side of Eighth Street twenty (20) feet and seven and three-fourths (7¾) inches; thence northerly on a line parallel with Avenue B sixty-nine (69) feet and ten (10) inches; thence westerly parallel with the northerly side of said Eighth Street twenty (20) feet and seven and three-fourths (7¾) inches; thence southerly parallel with Avenue B sixty-nine (69) feet and ten (10) inches to the northerly side of Eighth Street at the point or place of beginning. The northerly and southerly courses being through party walls. Said premises being now known as No. 315 East Eighth Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Dated New York, March 10th, 1910.
WILLIAM HARMAN BLACK, Referee.
A. S. & W. HUTCHINS, Attorneys for Plaintiff, No. 84 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold:



No. 315 East 8th Street.

The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is Eleven thousand three hundred and forty-five and 13-100 ($11,345.13) dollars, with interest thereon from February 25, 1910, together with the plaintiff's costs and allowances, amounting to Three hundred and thirty-four and 85-100 ($334.85) dollars, with interest thereon from March 7, 1910, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the Referee, is $218.14 and interest.

The above-described property is to be sold subject to certain covenants and restrictions contained in a deed recorded in the office of the Register of the County of New York in Liber 355, Con. P. 55; also subject to variations in the fence lines; also subject to an encroachment, if any, of one inch of the stoop of the building on the above-described premises on the premises adjoining on the west; also subject to encroachments, if any, of the covered area, cellar steps, show windows, and lintels on the street.

Dated New York, March 10th, 1910.
WILLIAM HARMAN BLACK, Referee.

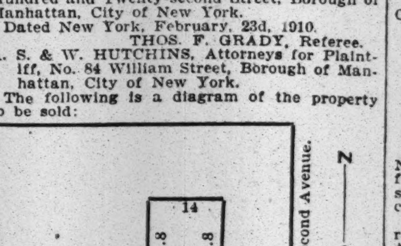
NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, COUNTY of New York.—THE METROPOLITAN SAVINGS BANK, Plaintiff, against MICHAEL FREEDMAN and JOSEPH FREEDMAN, Defendants.

In pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale, duly made in the above-entitled action, bearing date the eighth day of February, 1910, and entered in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York on the fourteenth day of February, 1910, I, the undersigned, the referee in said judgment named, will sell at public auction, at the New York Real Estate Salesroom, Nos. 14 and 16 Vesey Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on the 28th day of March, 1910, at twelve o'clock noon of that day, by Joseph P. Day, auctioneer, the premises directed by said judgment to be sold and therein described as follows:

All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land with the building and improvements thereon erected, situate, lying, and being in the Borough of Manhattan, of the City of New York, in the County and State of New York, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street distant seventeen (17) feet six (6) inches westerly from the corner formed by the intersection of the westerly side of Second Avenue with the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street; thence running northerly parallel with Second Avenue and part of the way through a party wall seventy-one (71) feet eight (8) inches; thence westerly, parallel with One Hundred and Twenty-second Street fourteen (14) feet; thence southerly, parallel with Second Avenue and part of the way through another party wall seventy-one (71) feet eight (8) inches to the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street, and thence easterly along the northerly side of One Hundred and Twenty-second Street fourteen (14) feet to the point or place of beginning. Said premises being known by the present street number 263 East One Hundred and Twenty-second Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Dated New York, February 23d, 1910.
THOS. F. GRADY, Referee.
A. S. & W. HUTCHINS, Attorneys for Plaintiff, No. 84 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

The following is a diagram of the property to be sold:



East 122d Street.

The approximate amount of the lien or charge to satisfy which the above-described property is to be sold is six thousand two hundred and twelve and 69-100 ($6,212.69) dollars, with interest thereon from February 7, 1910, together with the plaintiff's costs and allowances, amounting to two hundred and seventy-three and 35-100 ($273.35) dollars, with interest thereon from February 8, 1910, together with the expenses of the sale. The approximate amount of the taxes to be allowed to the purchaser out of the purchase money, or paid by the referee, is one hundred and seventeen and 46-100 ($117.46) dollars and interest.

The above-described property is to be sold subject to variations in the fence lines, and subject to an encroachment, if any, of an independent wall erected upon the rear of the premises adjoining on the north of from one to two inches on the premises above described.

Dated New York, February 23d, 1910.
THOS. F. GRADY, Referee.

EMPLOYERS who want a better stenographer, read the Situation Wanted column on Page 15.

BUSINESS TROUBLES

MAX B. SAYMON.—Max B. Saymon of 242 West 111th Street has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $2,498 and no assets.

ESTHER B. NAFTAL.—Schedules in bankruptcy of Esther B. Naftal, dealer in cloaks, suits, and millinery at 1,455 First Avenue, show liabilities of $2,584 and assets of $1,000 in stock.

JOSEPH E. BRAND.—Joseph E. Brand, a salesman, 56 West 112th Street, formerly a dealer in men's furnishing goods, has filed a petition in bankruptcy, with liabilities of $1,390, contracted in 1908, and no assets.

LOUIS JACOBS.—Judge Hough has appointed Arthur J. Cohen receiver in bankruptcy for Louis Jacobs, a wholesale flour dealer, 111 Broad Street. It was stated that he closed up his office and went out of business in January last, had previously purchased $3,000 worth of goods, and has about $2,000 in outstanding accounts.

F. PERLIN & SON.—Judge Hough has appointed Charles L. Brookheim receiver in bankruptcy for F. Perlin & Son, cloak manufacturers, 108 Greene Street. It was stated that they removed a great part of their assets on March 19 and the place has not been open since. The liabilities exceed $10,000 and the assets are about $1,500.

Judgments.

These judgments for amounts of more than $100 were filed yesterday. The first name is that of the debtor:

Arointz, Aaron—Abendroth Brothers, $631.
Boehm, Oscar—H. D. Greenwald et al., $234.
Boffax, Charlotte, guardian—M. Klaw et al., costs, $121.
Bates, Alexander C.—G. W. Eberhardt, $320.
Bedell, Edwin and Arthur G.—Knickerbocker Trust Co, $918.
Beal, William F.—H. Schiff, $380.
Boehm, Isaac and Max—I. Zola, $916.
Castile, Samuel N.—H. O. Mitchell, $2,330.
Cattle, William H.—A. E. Bobo, $171.
Clarke, Herman, et al.—Bank of New York et al., costs, $4,049.
Dunfee, Charles W.—C. M. Rathbun, $117.
Dockery, John J.—E. Heller & Co., $160.
Davis, Chester W.—G. S. Van Wickle, $596.
Eitelberg, Kalman and Herman, (not summoned,) et al.—H. Minlin et al., $204.
Fulton, Mary B. G., executrix—Bank of New York et al., costs, $4,049.
Gordon, Isaac—C. H. Stephan, $113.
Glokner, Gertrude M.—Northern Bank of New York, $244.
Gronwaldt, William—G. A. Prosser, $329.
Genels, George E.—S. Kraus, $318.
Coffe, J. Riddle—E. H. Brown, $9,201.
Gobel, Christie, et al.—H. Mornberg, $119.
Gainsborg, Benjamin, et al.—Standard Lime Co., $309.
Gainsborg, Benjamin, et al.—Standard Lime Co., $194.
Hubbell, Marvin D. and Mary—J. T. Geancy, $175.
Hendricks, D. Ridgeway—G. S. Ferrie, $1,117.
Hendley, Theodore W.—Star Co., costs $115.
Hunger, Solomon—Fruit Auction Co., $3,010.
Klein, Thomas J.—W. Post et al., $125.
Kowalsky, Henry I.—Number One Hundred and Eleven Broadway, $502.
Johla, Henry, Jr.—M. Dreyfuss et al., $425.
Levy, Sylvan—Commercial Shirt Co., $1,036.
Lerman, Joseph—J. A. McCafferty, $240.
La Montague, Edward, Jr., et al.—Bank of New York et al., costs, $4,049.
Lazarowitz, Schloime—H. Levine, $130.
McMahon, John T., et al.—J. B. Gillie, $138.
McGee, Wallace L., et al.—F. J. Phillip, $448.
McNamara, Patrick, adm.—Robert Gair Co., costs, $109.
O'Neill, Mary—H. S. Horton & Co., $836.
Figueron, George H.—D. Grieme Coal Co., $129.
Ovanz, Valentine, et al.—H. Momberg, $119.
Rich Emma, or Mrs. M.—S. Samuel et al., $107.
Reynolds, James, et al.—J. B. Gillis, $138.
Richards, John M., (not summoned,) et al.—F. J. Phillip, $448.
Raffel, Harry B.—Village of Mamaroneck, $141.
Rudinsky, Joseph—H. Wolf et al., $1,590.
Swan, H. Tilden—S. Bloom, $134.
Steiger, Ferdinand—J. London et al., costs, $200.
Smith, Wallace B., et al.—Bank of N. Y. et al., costs, $4,049.
Traub, Amelia—Saks & Co., costs, $179.
Travers, Mary C.—Simpson Crawford Co., $144.
Weber, Frederick C.—N. Jacobssen, $239.
Whaleyl, Harry L.—W. H. Todd, $138.
Wilmerding, Isabelle L.—Curtis-Blaisdell Co., $175.
Woods, Mabel E.—E. Muller et al., $845.
Whalen, Mamie, admx.—Am. Ice Co., costs, $108.
Zuckerman, Jacob—S. Deitchman, $147.
Alexander Co.—James McCreery & Co., $114.
R. & M. Realty Co. et al.—J. B. Gillis, $138.
George F. Hinrichs & Co., Inc.—O. Schmidt, costs, $113.
Parkway Garage Co.—Blue Ribbon Auto and Carriage Co., $1,342.
Gotham Contracting Co.—Sanitary Fireproofing and Contracting Co., $236.
Alabama Securities Co.—E. V. Harman, $12,232.
Gainsborough Construction Co.—Standard Lime Co., $309.
Same—Same, $194.

Satisfied Judgments.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and the date that when judgment was filed:

Barnett, Emma—J. McKee, March 4, 1910, $144.
Cady, John C.—H. Reiser, Jan. 5, 1910, $341.
Central Railroad of New Jersey—G. C. Marvin, Feb. 19, 1910, $840.
Crystal, Israel—J. Crystal, March 22, 1910, $195.
Ehrgott, George H.—L. D. Ray, Oct. 26, 1909, $131.
Heine, David R.—N. D. Stern et al., March 19, 1910, $526.
Phillips, Charles W., et al.—First National Bank of Patton, Penn., Jan. 15, 1903, $10,318.
Bary, Charles, et al.—Same, Jan. 15, 1903, $10,318.
Raines, William G.—C. Morchen, June 20, 1904, $3,139.
Silberstein, Lottie—State Bank, June 21, 1909, $351.
Suarez, Lillian—J. Richards, March 14, 1910, $294.
Woodbury, Cora, et al.—C. P. Fountain, March 11, 1910, $184.
Patterson, Benjamin, et al.—Same, March 11, 1910, $184.
Weinberg, Max and Fanny—D. Golub, March 7, 1910, $841.
Luce, Clarence—St. Hubert Guild, April 6, 1908, $170.
Lindeman & Sons Piano Co.—A. R. Wilson et al., March 16, 1910, $222.
Morning Journal Association and Star Co.—F. Gressman, Feb. 25, 1910, $142.
Same—Same, Aug. 11, 1908, $111.
Same—M. Ensing, Oct. 28, 1907, $3,155.
Melville, Louis—J. N. Brown, Jan. 7, 1910, $4,108.
Consumers' Brewing Co. of N. Y., Ltd.—G. Di Prima, May 18, 1908, (reversed,) $1,928.
McPartland, Stephen J.—City of N. Y., March 9, 1909, (vacated,) $103.
Marks, Michael, et al.—C. Stein, Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Gold, Joseph, et al.—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Pomeranz, Louis, et al.—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Rabinowitz, Louis, et al.—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Stone, Louis, et al.—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Singer, Joseph M., et al.—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Shapiro, Abraham, et al.—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Harkow, Joseph H., et al.—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Lewin, Samuel A., et al.—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Karotzer, John, et al.—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Excelsior Literary Society—C. Stein et al., Sept. 23, 1904, (canceled,) $151.
Majestic Sight-Seeing Co.—Firestone Tire and Rubber Co., Dec. 2, 1909, (vacated,) $555.

TO-DAY'S COURT CALENDARS.

STATE.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Newburger, J.—Ex parte business.
SURROGATES' COURT—Chambers — Thomas, S.—Will for probate: Anna Leonhardt.
CITY COURT—Chambers—La Fetra, J.—Ex parte business.

Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Greenbaum, J.—Solch v. Tuska—Edward W S Johnson. Fenton v. Fenton—Samuel Hardway. Kingston Sec Co v. Kiernan—Charles N Morgan.

Receivers Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Newburger, J.—Josephine A Stewart v. Charles Schwarz—Edwin T Greaves. Jos Willar v. Lena Fuchs—Michael H Wolfe. Samuel Ginsberg v. Theran S Johnson—Abraham Nussbaum.
CITY COURT—La Fetra, J.—Julius Alperawitz v. Salvatore Motta—Valentine Taylor.

THE UNITED SERVICE.

Special to The New York Times.

The Army.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Capt. L. M. Nuttmann, Commissary, to Fort Riley, Kan., for duty at mounted service school, for instruction in training school for bakers and cooks.

First Lieut. W. H. Tukey, Medical Reserve, relieved from duty at Boise Barracks, Idaho, April 30, and proceed to his home.

Capt. C. E. Hampton, Twenty-first Infantry, report to Major P. C. Fauntleroy, Medical Corps, President of army retiring board, Fort Bayard, N. M., for examination.

First Lieut. D. P. Quinlan, Fifth Cavalry, detailed for general recruiting service, and proceed to Jefferson Barracks, Mo., for duty.

Major F. McIntyre, Eighth Infantry, detailed as assistant to the Chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs.

The Navy.

Rear Admiral J. B. Milton, commissioned Rear Admiral.

Lieut. Commander R. Z. Johnson, duty as executive officer on the Constellation and additional duty at Naval Training Station, Narragansett Bay, R. I.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Arrived—Maryland, at Santa Barbara; New Orleans, at Honolulu.

Sailed—Patapsco, from Provincetown for Hampton Roads; Rocket, from Washington for Indian Head and Norfolk; Hopkins, from San Pedro for Mare Island; Connecticut, Kansas, Louisiana, Vermont, Minnesota, Idaho, Mississippi, New Hampshire, Georgia, Nebraska, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Virginia, Missouri, Panther, Culgoa, Solace, Patuxent, and Uncas from Guantanamo for Hampton Roads.

WOULD MARRY BEFORE TRIAL.

Banker Charged with $250,000 Theft Sets Date, but Father Says No.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., March 25.—Although he probably will be tried within a month for the embezzlement of $250,000 from the National City Bank of Cambridge, George W. Coleman stated to-day that he had taken out a marriage license and would be married "some day this week."

The name of the young woman was given in the license as Miss May Hightower, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Hightower of Kansas City, Mo.

Coleman is understood to have been in Kansas City a few days before his arrest.

Walter G. Coleman, father of the young bookkeeper, to-night said that his son would not marry. Mr. Coleman would not admit having forbidden the marriage, but intimated that he and his son had come to an agreement.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 25.—Miss Mammie Hightower is the daughter of a carpenter. Friends of the girl here understand that she is to be married to-morrow.

Miss Hightower met Coleman in Boston, where she was working as a seamstress, about two years ago. They planned to marry last February and Miss Hightower came home to prepare for the wedding. Her father told friends his daughter was going to marry a wealthy Boston banker.

Then Coleman's alleged embezzlements became public. He came here, told his side of the story to the girl and her parents, and returned to Boston. Miss Hightower went East two weeks ago.

D. K. E. SECRETS BARED.

Tattooer Testifies as to the Emblem He Puts Over Members' Hearts.

The garish light of court publicity was thrown upon the mystic rituals of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity yesterday, when reporters saw the minutes taken in the Insanity Commission's investigation of Herbert Jerome Dennison, the paranoiac who, people generally believed, killed Arthur Shibley and Robbie Lomas in Highbridge Park on January 12.

Lou Alberts, of 32 Oakland street, an "electric tattooer," was called as a witness. He had retouched the words and emblems on Dennison's breast and arms. Here are the minutes:

> Q.—I suppose you meet a great many queer people who come into your place? Don't you? A.—Well, no; not as a rule. Now, I go up to college fraternities in Columbia College, and I was there only last week. They have some kind of fraternity, with a mark with a diamond shape and a "D. K. E.," and another with "Delta," and I work on them. I don't think those people are crazy.
>
> Q.—Do all of them have it done? A.—Well, every man in that fraternity has to have that mark over the heart.

Unless indignant students raid the clerk's office in General Sessions, this testimony will stay in evidence for all time. The identity of the "Delta" is a matter of speculation.

Since Dennison learned on Thursday that he had been committed to Matteawan, officials in the Tombs have had their hands full. Yesterday he was put in a straightjacket and to-day he will be removed to the asylum.

PHOTOGRAPHS IN 3 COLORS.

A New System Illustrated by Stereopticon at the Chemists' Club.

Three hundred members of the Society of Chemical Industry, New York Section, were present last night at the Chemists' Club, 108 West Fifty-fifth Street, to see a new system of trichromatic photography invented by Frederic Eugene Ives, an American, illustrated by a stereopticon.

The pictures, which represented landscapes and city views, were taken, it was explained, on three collodion celluloid films, which then were superimposed on each other. The process was so simple that an amateur could take the pictures with the special small camera made for that purpose.

CONDITIONS OF TRADE.

Commenting on business conditions throughout the country, Dun's Review says:

> Good weather stimulates a large distribution of merchandise, and reports from the leading trade centres, and particularly those in the West and Northwest, speak of active markets in most lines. Bank clearings increased 16.7 per cent. over 1909 and 24.5 per cent. over 1906 outside of New York and 20.5 per cent. and 12.7 per cent., respectively, in New York. These gains are all the more impressive because speculative transactions are not active, the whole financial situation being in a "waiting" state. Railroad earnings are in line with the bank clearings, showing for two weeks of March a gain of 13.2 per cent. In the dry goods trade the features are a revision in prices, and a somewhat better demand, which calls for immediate shipments, disclosing low stocks in jobbing and retailing hands. Improvement is also noted in the shoe trade and likewise in leather. Wheat prices advanced owing to continued reports of damage in the Winter wheat area, but special advices received by R. G. Dun & Co. indicate that the damage is considerably exaggerated. While there has been injury to the crop in Kansas and elsewhere this is offset to a degree by increased acreage. The labor situation is much less threatening, and the tendency to lower prices in certain lines is, under existing conditions, a wholesome development. Undoubtedly the state of foreign trade is, all things considered for the time being, the most unfavorable factor. In New York, in the latest week, the imports were $24,303,727, which was $10,639,487 in excess of exports and $5,723,716 greater than the imports in the corresponding week of 1909. The recent liberal foreign purchases of American securities have checked the natural monetary consequences of this unfavorable trade movement, and one of the developments of the past week has been appearance of foreign bidders for the latest offering of New York City bonds.

Varuna's Lifeboat Is Found.

A lifeboat from Eugene Higgins's steam yacht Varuna, which was lost off Madeira several months ago, was brought here yesterday by the British freight steamer Portland. The lifeboat was picked up on Dec. 10 ninety miles south of Madeira.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Importers' Contention Regarding Quantity of Foxberries Is Overruled.

A dispute between Collector Loeb and the Strohmeyer & Arpe Company regarding the assessment of duty on 172 barrels of foxberries was settled yesterday by the Board of United States General Appraisers unfavorably to the importers.

The question raised by the protest is as to the proper quantity upon which to levy the duty of 1 cent per quart. It appears that through inadvertence in the Collector's office the goods were weighed instead of being gauged. When the Collector came to liquidate the entry he was without data to determine the number of quarts upon which duty should be assessed. He therefore adopted the quantity declared on entry, namely, 14,861 quarts, which, he stated to the board, is based upon the average quantity or number of quarts actually found in barrels of importations of like merchandise.

The importers protested against the Collector's action, stating that they attempted to make entry on the basis of 72 quarts to the barrel, or a total of 12,384 quarts, and claiming that any excess over such quantity was added by them under direction of the customs officers. In overruling the claim of the importers, Judge Waite in his decision for the board says that the fact that a mistake was made by the Collector, which resulted in no gauge or measurement of the commodity being made, does not, in the opinion of the board, necessarily redound to the injury of the importers.

"Had a measurement been made," says the decision, "it would not have been binding upon them; they could have disputed it, or shown any other measurement to be the correct one. The fact that no proof whatever has been put in by the importers is the circumstance which leads to all the difficulties arising in this case. We do not think they were excused from putting in testimony, the presumption being that data must have been at their command to show the quantity actually imported."

NEW BOSTON ROAD BOARD.

Morgan and Other New Haven & Hartford Directors in It.

A certificate filed in the Westchester County Clerk's office at White Plains yesterday by the New York, Westchester & Boston Railroad Company shows the election of a new Board of Directors made up of New York, New Haven & Hartford representatives, including J. P. Morgan.

The road was acquired from Oakleigh Thorne and his associates during the panic by the Morgan interests and turned over to the New Haven.

The other new Directors are Leveritt S. Miller, T. D. Rhodes, Lewis Cass Ledyard, George M. Miller, Charles S. Mellen, James S. Hemingway, Charles F. Brooker, Robert W. Taft, John H. Whittemore, William Rockefeller, A. Heaton Robertson, and Edwin Milner.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

ATCHISON, TOPEKA & SANTA FE for February—

	1910.	1909.	Increase.
Gross	$7,920,698	$7,227,314	$693,384
Op. expenses	5,675,091	4,461,601	1,213,189
Net	2,245,607	2,765,712	*520,105
Taxes	318,705	270,167	48,537
Op. income	1,926,901	2,495,544	*568,642
Av. op. mileage	9,935	9,869	66
8 mos. gross	68,801,600	61,981,993	6,819,603
Op. expenses	45,469,435	38,097,208	7,372,227
8 mos. net	23,332,164	23,884,785	*552,620
Taxes	2,473,859	1,884,294	589,564
8 mos. op. inc.	20,858,305	22,000,490	*1,142,185
Av. op. mileage	9,900	9,871	28

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The following is the forecast for Saturday and Sunday for the cotton and grain States as issued by the United States Weather Bureau:

North and South Carolina, Georgia, and Florida—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; light variable winds.

Alabama and Mississippi—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday; light southerly winds.

Louisiana—Generally fair Saturday and Sunday; moderate southerly winds.

Eastern Texas—Fair Saturday. Sunday, partly cloudy, probably showers and cooler in the interior; moderate to brisk southerly winds.

Western Texas—Showers Saturday. Sunday, partly cloudy.

Utah—Local rains Saturday. Sunday, fair.

Oklahoma—Increasing cloudiness, probably followed by thunderstorms Saturday night or Sunday; cooler Sunday.

Kansas—Increasing cloudiness, probably followed by thunderstorms Saturday night or Sunday; cooler.

Arkansas—Partly cloudy Saturday; showers and thunderstorms Saturday night or Sunday; cooler Sunday.

Tennessee, Kentucky, and Indiana—Partly cloudy Saturday. Sunday, unsettled, with probably showers and thunderstorms.

Ohio—Fair Saturday. Sunday, increasing cloudiness, probably followed by rain; moderate variable winds, becoming southeast and east.

Illinois and Wisconsin—Increasing cloudiness, followed by showers Saturday or Saturday night. Sunday, showers; moderate southeasterly winds.

Michigan—Increasing cloudiness, followed by rain Saturday night or Sunday; moderate easterly winds.

Minnesota—Increasing cloudiness, followed by showers by Saturday and Sunday.

Iowa—Local rains Saturday and probably Sunday; cooler.

Missouri—Increasing cloudiness, followed by showers and thunderstorms by Saturday night or Sunday; cooler.

North Dakota—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday.

South Dakota and Nebraska—Local rains and cooler Saturday. Sunday, showers.

MASTER'S SALES.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE United States for the Southern District of New York.—GUARANTY TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, Complainant, against METROPOLITAN STREET RAILWAY COMPANY AND OTHERS, Defendants.

In pursuance of Paragraph XI. of the decree of foreclosure and sale entered herein in the office of the Clerk of this Court on the 18th day of March, 1909, the sale heretofore duly advertised in pursuance of said decree to take place on the first day of June, 1909, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the north main entrance of the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, or at such place in said Court House as the sale might be adjourned to in pursuance of said decree and thereafter on the consent of the solicitors for the complainant and with the approval of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Southern District of New York, duly adjourned to March 26th, 1910, is hereby with the approval of said Court and on the consent of the solicitors for the complainant further adjourned to May 12th, 1910, at the same time and place.

Dated March 16, 1910.

WILLIAM L. TURNER, Special Master.

Arrival of Buyers

Arriving and resident buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

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Fourgureson, Temple & Co., Richmond, Va.; E. W. Stearns, dress goods; Hotel St. Denis.

Cohen, Friedlander & Martin Company, Toledo, Ohio; C. F. Newman, trimmings; Broadway Central Hotel.

Neustadter Brothers, San Francisco, Cal.; D. Neustadter, furnishing goods; Hotel Netherland.

Zollars, David & Son, Canton, Ohio; H. Zollars, notions and furnishing goods; Broadway Central Hotel.

Snellenberg, N., & Co., Philadelphia, Penn.; M. Snellenberg, dry goods; 683 Broadway; Hoffman House.

Famous, St. Louis, Mo.; W. H. Wingfield, dress goods and silks; 4 Washington Place; Hotel Flanders.

Kaufman, Strauss & Co., Lexington, Ky.; D. Wile, cloaks, suits, waists, and ribbons; 817 Broadway.

Sisson Brothers & Welden Company, Binghamton, N. Y.; B. F. Welden, laces and trimmings; Hotel Imperial.

Bryan, T. C. O., Company, Minneapolis, Minn.; T. C. O. Bryan, women's suits and coats; Herald Square Hotel.

Homer & Johndren, Beaver Falls, Penn.; Archie Johndren, variety store; Broadway Central Hotel.

Dayton Dry Goods Company, Minneapolis, Minn.; John C. Luker, dry goods; 821 Broadway.

Cross, L. P., Friendship, N. Y.; millinery and notions; Continental Hotel.

Marshall Brothers, Akin, N. Y.; J. E. Marshall and James Marshall, Jr., general merchandise; Grand Union Hotel.

Lyman, L. F., Alexandria Bay, N. Y.; general merchandise; Hotel Cadillac.

Wise, Charles, Perry, N. Y.; dry goods; Hotel Albert.

Bessers, Incorporated, Buffalo, N. Y.; E. F. Klemer, stationery, dolls, and toys; Van Cortland Hotel.

Morton, S. W., & Son, East Randolph, N. Y.; Mrs. S. W. Morton, dry goods and millinery; Miss N. E. West, dry goods and millinery; 14 East Sixteenth Street.

Stoddard & Bateman, Lowville, N. Y.; R. E. Bateman, dry goods and carpets; New Grand Hotel.

Gage & Bush, Canajoharie, N. Y.; W. A. Gage, dry goods; Hotel Latham.

Nordyke & Marmon, Indianapolis, Ind.; A. R. Heiskell, milling machinery; The Breslin.

Hughes, John, & Co., St. Louis, Mo.; John Hughes, cloaks; Gilsey House.

[illegible], Morris, Dolgeville, N. Y.; dry goods; Broadway Central Hotel.

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Krauss & Co., 11-13 West Houston Street.

BELTS, BAGS, AND FANCY NOVELTIES.
Baron & Horowitz, 45 to 51 Lispenard St.

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E. J. Kelly, "Anchor," 104 Chambers St.

CAMP OUTFITS & SPORTSMAN'S GOODS.
Chas. J. Godfrey Co., 91 Chambers Street.

CROCHET AND KNIT SCARFS.
Louis Auerbach, 842, 844, & 846 Broadway.
Blanchard & Price, 142 Fifth Avenue.

CUT GLASS.
J. Hoare & Co., (Exhibit,) Grand Hotel.

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George D. Pine, 104 Chambers Street.

FANCY FEATHERS and Feather Novelties.
C. Weisker & Co., 9 and 11 W. 4th, n. B'way.

FEATHERS AND WILLOWS.
East India Ostrich Feather Co., 599 B'way.

GARTERS AND LADIES' ELASTIC BELTS.
Liberty Garter Works, (Mayper Garter,) 413 B'way.

HAIR ORNAMENTS AND BELTS.
Austin Walker Co., 565 Broadway.

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A. & E. Leather Goods Co., 419-421 Broome St.

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Jos. Zindler, ("Empire" Waist,) 135 Wooster.

MANICURE SUPPLIES.
Lustr-ite, (Floridine Mfg. Co.,) 42 Franklin.

MARABOUT BOAS, MUFFS, & NOVELTIES.
Hauser & Davis, Mfrs., 59 East 8th St.

NECKWEAR—Men's.
Louis Auerbach, 842, 844, & 846 Broadway.
Berliner, Strauss & Meyer, 733, 735, 737 B'way.
Keiser Cravats, 10-16 West 20th Street.

PERFUME AND TALCUM POWDERS.
C. H. Selick, "Florentine," 56 Leonard St.

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Phoenix Knitting Works, 45 E. 17th, near B'way.

RAINCOATS.
Harris Raincoat Co., 87-89 Fifth Avenue.

SPECTACLES, Eyeglasses, Optical Goods.
Spencer Optical Co., 31 Maiden Lane.

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Knothe Bros., 122 Fifth Avenue.

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SUMMONSES.

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW York, County of New York.—EDITH ROSE FOY, Plaintiff, vs. EDWIN I. FOY, whose true name is EDWIN ISAAC FRASER, Defendant.—Trial desired in New York County. Action to annul a marriage. Summons.

To the above-named defendant: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint of the plaintiff herein, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty (20) days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated New York, February 4, 1910.

H. V. RUTHERFORD,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

Post Office address and office Number 42 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

To Edwin I. Foy, whose true name is Edwin Isaac Fraser: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. M. Warley Platzek, Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated February 25, 1910, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the Borough of Manhattan, City, County, and State of New York, on March 22, 1910.

H. V. RUTHERFORD,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

42 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW York, County of New York.—SIDNEY K. SIMON, Plaintiff, against PAUL EISMANN, doing business under the name of THEODOR EISMANN, Defendant.

To the above-named defendant:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default, for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated New York February 8th, 1910.

HAYS, KAUFMANN & LINDHEIM,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

Office and Post Office address, 60 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

To Paul Eismann:

The foregoing summons is served upon you, by publication, pursuant to an order of Hon. M. Warley Platzek, Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the third day of March, 1910, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City and State of New York.

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Miniature Almanac for To-day.

Sun rises..5:56 | Sun sets..6:17 | Moon rises...[illegible]

TIDES TO-DAY.

	High Water. A.M.	High Water. P.M.	Low Water. A.M.	Low Water. P.M.
Sandy Hook	8:14	8:28	2:05	[illegible]
Governors Island	8:40	8:55	2:48	[illegible]
Hell Gate	10:30	10:45	4:18	[illegible]

Arrived—Friday, March 25.

SS Carpathia, Naples, March 12.
SS Esperanza, Havana, March 23.
SS Pretoria, Hamburg, March 12.
SS Sirius, Shields, March 11.
SS Jevington, Colastine, Feb. 23.
SS Tintoretto, Barbados, March 14.
SS Colon, Cristobal, March 19.
SS F. J. Luckenbach, Porto Rico, March [illegible].
SS Kristiania, Havana, March 18.
SS Nordboen, Guantanamo, March 18.
SS El Cid, Galveston, March 19.
SS City of Macon, Savannah, March 22.
SS Oklahoma, Port Arthur, Texas, March 18.
SS Jefferson, Norfolk, March 24.
SS Pawnee, Philadelphia, March 24.
SS Portland, Boston, March 23.
SS Manna Hata, Baltimore, March 23.
SS Ogeechee, Galveston, March 15.

Outgoing Steamships.

SAIL TO-DAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Oceanic, Southampton	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Cedric, Liverpool	7:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Amerika, Hamburg	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Taormina, Naples	—	—
Luisiana, Naples	—	—
Lapland, Antwerp	—	11:00 A.M.
Koenig Albert, Naples	—	11:00 A.M.
Minneapolis, London	—	10:30 A.M.
Furnessia, Glasgow	—	9:00 A.M.
Oceana, Bermuda	8:00 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Caracas, Curacao	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
Saratoga, Havana	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Prinz Joachim, Panama	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Ponce, Mayaguez	—	12:00 M.
Concho, Galveston	—	12:00 M.
City of Macon, Savannah	—	3:00 P.M.
Comanche, Jacksonville	—	3:00 P.M.

SAIL MONDAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Suriname, Paramaribo	11:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
St. Oswald, Santos	11:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Corsican Prince, Bahia	12:00 M.	2:00 P.M.

SAIL TUESDAY.

	Mails Close.	Vessels Sail.
Seminole, Santo Domingo	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Hamburg, Naples	—	—
Potsdam, Rotterdam	—	9:00 A.M.
Oceania, Naples	—	12:00 M.
City of Atlanta, Savannah	—	3:00 P.M.
Apache, Jacksonville	—	1:00 P.M.

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, French, and German transatlantic lines until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TO-DAY.

Lombardia	Palermo	Mar. 11
Rowena	St. Lucia	Mar. 16
Athinai	Patras	Mar. 10
Korona	St. Thomas	Mar. 20
Albano	Hamburg	Mar. 10
Savoie	Havre	Mar. 19
Hamburg	Naples	Mar. 15
Apache	Jacksonville	Mar. 23
El Dorado	Galveston	Mar. 20
Jamestown	Norfolk	Mar. 25

DUE TO-MORROW.

Columbia	Glasgow	Mar. 19
Nieuw Amsterdam	Rotterdam	Mar. 19
Laurentic	Liverpool	Mar. 19
Prinz Sigismund	Port Antonio	Mar. 22
Comal	Key West	Mar. 23
Iroquois	Jacksonville	Mar. 24
City of Atlanta	Savannah	Mar. 24
Martha Washington	Algiers	Mar. 18

DUE MONDAY.

Kroonland	Antwerp	Mar. 19
Duca degli Abruzzi	Naples	Mar. 16
Coamo	San Juan	Mar. 23
Colorado	Mobile	Mar. 21
Proteus	New Orleans	Mar. 23
City of Columbus	Savannah	Mar. 25
El Valle	Galveston	Mar. 22

By Marconi Wireless.

SS Laurentic, incoming from Liverpool, was reported 742 miles east of Sandy Hook at 5:45 A. M. yesterday; due at her pier, if not delayed, Sunday morning.

SS Hamburg, incoming from Naples, was reported 375 miles east of Sandy Hook at 3:20 P. M. yesterday; due at her pier, if not delayed, late to-day.

SS Savoie, incoming from Havre, was reported 368 miles east of Sandy Hook at noon yesterday; due at her pier, if not delayed, this morning.

SS Kaiser Wilhelm II., incoming from Bremen, was reported 1,430 miles east of Sandy Hook at 9:30 P. M. yesterday; due at her pier, if not delayed, late Monday.

SS St. Louis, outgoing, was reported 300 miles west of the Lizard at 8:15 P. M.; due at Plymouth this afternoon.

By United Wireless.

SS Apache, Jacksonville, 195 m. S. of Sandy Hook at 8 P. M. March 25.

SS City of Atlanta, Savannah, 332 m. S. of Sandy Hook 8 P. M.

SS Prinz Sigismund, Port Limon, 565 m. S. of Sandy Hook 8 P. M.

SS Colorado, Mobile, 349 m. S. of Sandy Hook 8 P. M.

Foreign Ports.

Arrived.

SS Prinz Friedrich Wilhelm, at Cherbourg, March 25.

SS Bermudian, at Bermuda, March 25.

SS Orotava, at Bermuda, March 25.

Pacific Steamships.

Destination and Steamer.	Mails Close in New York.	
Samoan Islands, New Zealand, and Australia, (except West,) (via San Francisco)—Century	Mar. 26	6:30 P.M.
Japan, Korea, and China, (specially addressed only,) (via Tacoma)—Chicago Maru	Mar. 28	6:30 P.M.
Japan, Korea, and China, (specially addressed only,) (via Tacoma)—Oceana	Mar. 31	6:30 P.M.
Guam and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—U. S. transport	Mar. 31	6:30 P.M.

For Latest Shipping News See Page 1.

THE WEATHER.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—With the exception of scattering areas of precipitation in the extreme Southwest and California the weather was generally fair over the country during the last twenty-four hours. Snow was falling Friday night in Northern Arizona.

The temperature has risen along the Atlantic Coast and in the extreme Northwest, and it has fallen in the lake region and the Ohio Valley. High temperatures continue over the Middle Plain States and throughout the South.

Fair weather will continue Saturday in the districts east of the Mississippi River and probably Sunday in the Atlantic States. An extensive disturbance that is developing over the Southwestern States will move eastward, attended by general precipitation within the next forty-eight hours in the Upper and Middle Mississippi and Ohio Valleys, and by Monday in the Eastern States.

The temperature will fall Saturday in the Middle Atlantic States and New England, and Sunday in the Mississippi and Ohio Valleys.

Winds along the New England Coast will be moderate northwest and west; Middle Atlantic Coast, light to moderate northwest, becoming variable; South Atlantic Coast, light, variable.

Steamships departing Saturday for European ports will have moderate west and northwest winds, becoming variable, and generally fair weather to the Grand Banks.

FORECASTS FOR TO-DAY AND SUNDAY.

Eastern New York—Fair Saturday, cooler in south and central portions. Sunday fair, moderate northwest winds, becoming variable.

Eastern New Jersey and Pennsylvania—Fair and colder Saturday. Sunday probably fair, moderate northwest winds, becoming variable.

New England—Fair and colder Saturday. Sunday fair, moderate west and northwest winds, becoming variable.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1909.	1910.		1909.	1910.
3 A. M.	44	48	4 P. M.	48	76
6 A. M.	47	49	6 P. M.	40	75
9 A. M.	48	57	9 P. M.	35	62
12 M.	52	70	12 P. M.	35	58

This thermometer is 108 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 61; for the corresponding date last year it was 44; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 40.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 54; at 8 P. M. it was 72. Maximum temperature, 77 degrees at 2 P. M.; minimum, 48 degrees at 12:01 A. M. Humidity, 85 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 49 per cent. at 8 P. M.

Weekly Failure Report.

Bradstreet's reports 231 failures in the United States during the week against 208 for the previous week and 226, 286, 166, and 169 for the corresponding weeks of 1909 to 1906. The Middle States had seventy-five, New England twenty-six, Southern forty-one, Western forty-nine, Northwestern eighteen, Far West twenty-two, and Territories none. Canada had twenty-six against twenty-five for the preceding week. About 89 per cent. of the total number of concerns failing had capital of $5,000 or less, and 7 per cent. had from $5,000 to $20,000 capital.

Lost.

20c. a line 1 time; 3 times 18c. a line a day; 7 times 15c. a line a day.

LOST—One month ago, Feb. 23, about 6:30 P. M., either on Madison Av., between 53d St. and Grand Central Station, or on suburban train of Harlem Division, over $3,000 in large bills, carried by trusted employe. Finder will be liberally rewarded, no questions asked. Grant Squires, 40 Wall St.

LOST OR STOLEN—100 shares Wisconsin Central Railway Company Common Stock Voting Trust Certificate numbered 3,234, the transfer of which has been stopped. Return to Clinton R. Weeden, Administrator, Providence, R. I.

LOST—A diamond fob, initials E. L., going from 83d St. and Columbus Av. to Central Park West and 99th St.; liberal reward. Eugene Loeb, Room A, New York Theatre Building, Broadway and 44th St.

LOST—Southern Pacific Company common stock certificate No. B55,253, for ten shares in the name of "William H. Crabb." Notice is hereby given to show cause why duplicate should not be issued. William H. Crabb.

LOST—A pin, evening, (Friday,) March 18; heart-shaped opal, surrounded by diamonds; between East 30th St., to Sherry's, thence Manhattan Opera House. Liberal reward if returned to Oakes, 49 Wall St.

LOST—Lady's gunmetal watch, diamond monogram; valued as keepsake; March 21, between 18th St. Subway station and 17th St. to east side 3d Av. Reward, no questions, return Cooke, 302 Central Park West.

LOST—On March 24, between 320 Broadway, Brooklyn Bridge Subway station, Broadway express to 181st St., to 4,180 Broadway, watch fob, gold locket; initials "H. A. M."; reward. Room 1,009, 320 Broadway.

LOST—Man's gold watch, closed engraved case, old English movement; leather fob with Princeton seal; lost in Subway or at 34th St.; liberal reward. Return to F. O. K., 38 West 59th St.

LOST—A diamond and gold watch with diamond wishbone pin; face number 32257; a reward of $200 will be given and no questions asked if returned to O. M. Ferrand, 3 Maiden Lane.

LOST—Gold snake necklace, between 103d St., Manhattan Av., and Seventh Regiment Armory. Ten dollars reward if returned to Perkins, 76 Manhattan Av.

LOST—Wednesday, March 22, 1910, in Macy's, a black onyx bar pin set with pearls; heavy gold back. Return to Mrs. W. N. Ferris, Bronxville, N. Y.; reward.

LOST—A pearl necklace on Saturday, March 19, between Broadway and 93d St., and Empire Theatre. Reward. Apartment 11 A., 2,508 Broadway.

LOST—Express receipt book, vicinity 59th St., 6th Av., and Madison Av. Notify or return to Park & Tilford, candy factory, 72d St. and Columbus Av.

LOST.—In vicinity of Columbia University, one Phi Beta Kappa watch fob, engraved N. T. Dowling. Return to 531 West 113th St. Reward.

LOST.—Large, blue parrot, with orange breast, flew out window upper Broadway; reward paid if returned. Maison Pet, 19 West 30th St.

LOST—Wednesday, diamond breastpin, between 93d and 156th Sts., on street or Subway; reward return. Randall, 316 West 93d St.

LOST—Sterling silver bag, containing money and prescription; lost on streets. Finder please notify M. Post, 262 West 93d St.

LOST—Small pearl circlet pin and jabot Thursday on 8th or Columbus Av., 72d to 95th Sts.; reward. Hubbell, 2 West 95th St.

LOST.—$50 reward for pearl screw earring, lost Wednesday, March 23. Return Hotel Orleans, 100 West 80th St.

LOST—Pair gold spectacles in 45th St. neighborhood. Reward at 211 West 45th St., Searles.

LOST—On Wednesday night, mink scarf, on 52d St.; liberal reward. Return Ross, 236 West 52d St.

LOST—Monday, near Riverside Drive, plain gold watch. Reward if returned 78 Park Av.

REWARD—A white satin lined mink cover (with tails) for baby carriage in Central Park, between West 77th St. entrance and the Mall. Return to Liebmann, 44 West 77th St.

Lost and Found—Cats, Dogs

20c. a line 1 time; 3 times 18c. a line a day; 7 times 15c. a line a day.

LOST—Thursday, March 17, near Jamaica, L. I. R. R. Station, brown female Pomeranian dog, with white snout. Liberal reward and no questions asked if returned to H. W. McKay, 489 Park Avenue, New York City.

LOST—Saturday, March 19th, male terrier; silver head, blue gray body, brown legs; weight 13 pounds; name Dick. Reward if returned to 346 Macon St., near Lewis Av., Brooklyn.

LOST—Boston bull terrier, about 4 months old; brindle maltese color; patch of white on breast; vicinity Lincoln Road. Finder please report to Richard Young, Jr., 87 Lincoln Road, Brooklyn.

LOST—Near Van Cortlandt Park Subway station, Persian cat, maltese, white nose, breast, and feet; reward. Mrs. B. W. Dodge, 63 Morningside Av. East. 'Phone 6706—Morningside.

LOST—On March 21, evening, near Morningside Park, long-tailed female fox terrier. Five dollars reward if returned to 238 West 113th St.

LOST—Welsh terrier dog, name Niblick, Monday, March 21; liberal reward. F. B. Lord, Jr., 136 East 71st St. No questions.

LOST—English bulldog, over the 138th St. bridge; $25 reward. Jenay, 253 West 143d St.

LOST.—Boston terrier, brindle, white markings; screw tail; no collar. Reward. 69 West 83d.

$25 REWARD.—Lost, small toy poodle, brown spot on back, in vicinity of Pelham Parkway and East Chester Road. W. E. Morgan, East Chester Road, Westchester, N. Y.

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Found.

20c. a line 1 time; 3 times 18c. a line a day; 7 times 15c. a line a day.

FOUND, March 25—INTERBOROUGH R. T. CO. Apply 9 Morris St.; SECOND AV. ELEVATED—Satchel, book, slippers, package plaster, bag. THIRD AV. ELEVATED—Umbrella, lunchbag, purse, 2 pocketbooks, eyeglasses, spectacles, cardcase, bankbook, book, drawings, 2 pair gloves, case, package cards, package napkins, package clothing, package silk, pail, razor, handles, shovel. SIXTH AV. ELEVATED—Spectacles, bill of sale, photo, cap, magazines, piece silk, door check, coffee, silk bag, 2 books, keys, eyeglasses. NINTH AV. ELEVATED—Handbag, pair gloves, shirt, skirt, picture frames, icebag, collars, hat, belt, stamp, can, &c. SUBWAY—Eyeglasses, spectacles, pass case, pair gloves, photos, bag tools, dress, doll, shirt, table cover, baseball glove, hat, lunchbox, package, tobacco, package coffee, key, knife, 2 handbags.

FOUND, March 25.—CENTRAL R. R. OF N. J. Apply foot Liberty St., City. FERRIES—Two tin pails, bag, bundle, package.

FOUND, March 25.—N. Y. CENTRAL R. R. Apply G. C. S. Lost Article Office. Four packages, three umbrellas.

FOUND, March 25.—L. I. R. R. Apply Lost Property Bureau, L. I. City. Two packages, umbrella.

FOUND, March 25.—ERIE R. R. Apply Information Desk, Jersey City, N. J. Package, umbrella.

FOUND, March 25.—D., L. & W. R. R. Apply Information Desk, Hoboken, N. J. Two packages, three umbrellas.

FOUND, March 25.—PENNSYLVANIA R. R. Apply Baggage Master, Jersey City, N. J. RAILROAD TRAINS—Three umbrellas, glove, pair gloves, package. JERSEY CITY STATION—Hat. BROOKLYN ANNEX BOAT—Lady's umbrella. 23D ST. BOAT—Blanket.

FOUND, March 25.—WEST SHORE R. R. Apply Station Master, Weehawken, N. J. Package, grip, book.

FOUND, March 24 and 25—NEW NEGLAND NAVIGATION CO. S. S. LOWELL, Norwich Line—Comb, bunch keys. S. S. PROVIDENCE, Fall River Line—Silver pin, gloves, shaving brush, package papers, whip, grip, 2 nail files, neckband, hairpin, 2 coat hangers.

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Help Wanted—Females.

15c. a line 1 time; 3 times 12c. a line a day; 7 times 10c. a line a day.

CHOCOLATE DIPPERS AND PACKERS, experienced, wanted. Henry Heide, Hudson and Vandam Sts.

LAW STENOGRAPHER, private secretary, must operate Smith-Premier No. 10. Smith-Premier Typewriter Co., 319 Broadway.

WANTED—Experienced stenographer; Smith Premier; religiously inclined; Protestant; salary, $60 month. Smith Premier, 319 Broadway.

WANTED—A cook in a private family; wages $35; reference required. D 13 Times.

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YOUNG WOMEN, between 17 and 23 years of age, to learn telephone operating for Central Office positions; for those who qualify salary of $5 a week paid while learning. Apply after 9 A. M. at Application Department, New York Telephone Co., 58 West Houston St., cor. Wooster St.

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ACTIVE MEN, good talkers, middle-aged, to represent an advertising concern at an outdoor stand; steady position; small wages to start. Apply J. F. L. Collins, 1,495 Broadway, between 43d and 44th Sts.

ACTIVE ENERGETIC MEN.—An excellent business of your own, having no mail order connection; very high class. Beeching, 150 Nassau St.

AN EXCELLENT opportunity is offered a bright, energetic young man to solicit subscriptions for a high-class literary publication. Address, giving previous experience, if any, Box D 33 Times.

CARPET LAYER.—Must understand shade hanging; steady position. Aronson, 47 Catherine St.

CIVIL SERVICE examinations in New York May 9th; excellent salaries; candidates prepared free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 611N, Rochester, N. Y.

COFFEE AND TEA SALESMAN.

We need the services of two experienced salesmen; one who has an established hotel and restaurant trade, and one to canvass the retail trade in New York City and vicinity; bond required. D 32 Times.

EXPERIENCED SALESMAN wanted on Russian antique brass and copper novelties; no other need apply. Russian Antique Importing Co., 118 Walker St., city.

GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES WANTED.—Write for New York examination schedules; preparation free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 260N, Rochester, N. Y.

OFFICE ASSISTANT.—Young man, (18-20,) high school graduate, in business office of a publishing house; must be well recommended, no experience necessary. Address D 34 Times.

SALESMEN.—OVER 70,000 MERCHANTS ARE NOW USING TOLEDO SPRINGLESS COMPUTING SCALES; WE EMPLOY OVER 200 SUCCESSFUL SALESMEN; TWO VACANT TERRITORIES IN THIS DISTRICT TO BE FILLED; FIRST-CLASS OPPORTUNITY FOR HIGH-GRADE SPECIALTY SALESMEN; FIDELITY BOND REQUIRED. APPLY SATURDAY AFTERNOONS, 251 WEST 42D ST., NEW YORK.

SALESMEN, with references, for high-class article in men's wearing apparel; good commissions paid to energetic hustlers. Call 41 Union Square West, Suite 708.

SALESMAN.—Experienced in Italian grocery trade; references and bond required. Ignatius Gross, 268 West St.

THE INTERBOROUGH REALTY COMPANY

WANT a few energetic young men in their bond department for the sale of a guaranteed gold bond, on installment payments; no advances, but very liberal commissions will enable workers to make $30 to $50 weekly, with good chance for advancement. Call after 9:30 A. M., 10 Wall St., New York.

Wanted—Able-bodied men for the U. S. Marine Corps, between the ages of 19 and 35. Must be native born or have first papers. Monthly pay $15 to $69. Additional compensation possible. Food, clothing, quarters, and medical attendance free. After 30 years' service can retire with 75 per cent. of pay and allowances. Service on board ship and ashore in all parts of the world. Apply at 109 West 42d St., 101 Park Row, New York; 336 Fulton St., Brooklyn, or 288 Market St., Newark, N. J.

YOUNG Men Wanted.—Positions paying $1,200 to $1,800 per annum; tenement house and sanitary inspector examinations about due; we give a practical course; terms reasonable. Apply 5-6 P. M., Builder's Office, 271 West 40th.

$100.00 WILL BE PAID by The New York Times for the arrest and conviction of any person who may have obtained money under false pretenses through the medium of a misleading or fraudulent advertisement appearing in The Times.

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Help Wanted—Employment Bureaus.

15c. a line 1 time; 3 times 12c. a line a day; 7 times 10c. a line a day.

Commercial Help.

CLERK.—Bank; collection department; must have had several years' experience; $1,200.

CLERKS.—Check (2) for bank; must have had experience; $600.

CLERKS.—Cost, (3;) must have had factory experience; $15 up.

FOREMAN.—Must have had experience in gas and electrical fixture assembling department; $25.

DRAUGHTSMAN for railroad; electrical department; $70.

BOOKKEEPER.—High-grade man, possessing executive ability; preferably law or publishing experience; $25.

SALESMAN.—Law books; high-grade salesman thoroughly familiar with law books; $2,000 to $3,000.

SALESMEN.—Inside; several; familiar with paint and varnish business.

SECRETARY.—Private; must be first-class stenographer having legal experience in New York; $1,800.

TYPISTS.—Female, 15; Oliver machine; $7 or piece work. National Employment Exchange, 47 West 42d St.

A.—COLONIAL BUREAU, 60 West 39th.—Strictly reliable domestic help; specialties, governesses, ladies' maids; references thoroughly investigated. Telephone 5582—Murray Hill.

BOOKKEEPER, (lady,) typist, office manager for grown concern; must have cloak and suit house experience; tall and good appearance essential; $15; rapid advancement. UNIVERSAL EXCHANGE, 1 West 34th.

BOOKKEEPERS, stenographers, typewriters, or office assistants, furnished free. Wright Agency, 335 Broadway. 973 Franklin.

EFFICIENT STENOGRAPHERS, office workers furnished free; expert multigraphing. Jipp Exchange, 87 Nassau St. Cort. 4221.

STENOGRAPHERS.—When in need of stenographers, typewriters, bookkeepers, or office assistants for permanent or temporary positions write or telephone Miss S. M. Gahagan, 263 Broadway. Tel. 7035—Barclay.

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Situations Wanted—Employment Bureaus.

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A.—RASMUSSEN BUREAU.

Now waiting, Scandinavian chambermaids, waitress, general houseworkers, useful men, married couple, cooks. 722 Lexington. (58.)

COMPANIONS, governesses, teachers, housekeepers, maids, secretaries. Mrs. Pillsbury, 507 5th Av. 6185—Murray Hill.

TRAINED AND PRACTICAL NURSES.

HOUSEWORK.—Several neat colored girls, experienced, with good references, want places in small families; other good Southern help furnished. Lincoln Industrial Exchange, 314 West 59th St. 'Phone 4786—Columbus.

HOUSEWORKERS, laundresses, cooks, chambermaids, waitresses, useful men. Henderson's Agency, 110 West 134th. Tel., 486 Morningside.

OLD DOMINION EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 88 West 134th.—Bond, $1,000 guarantees colored help. 1119—Harlem.

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Situations Wanted—Females.

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NURSE.—To care for invalid; willing to travel. C. O., Box 275, Yonkers, N. Y.

OFFICE ASSISTANT, accurate worker; billing, filing, typewriting; excellent reference. Young, 164 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—General office assistant; 5 years' experience; takes rapid dictation; transcribes correctly; references from former employer. E 179 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Some experience, rapid, accurate, neat, painstaking, and reliable; excellent references; $7. Bright, 178 Times Downtown.

STENOGRAPHER.—Broadly qualified; interested in business; splendid education; reliable, efficient. Earnestness, 127 Times Downtown.

Situations Wanted—Females.

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STENOGRAPHER, American, well educated, capable young lady, wishes permanent position. Robson, 548 West 156th St.

STENOGRAPHER.—Educated; limited experience, but well trained and accurate; refined; references. Lillian, P. O. 1251.

STENOGRAPHER, owning machine, wants work day or evening; will substitute. Expert, 155 Times Downtown.

WANTED—Positions for girls from 16 to 20 years of age as stenographers, bookkeepers, &c. Address F. B. Educational Alliance, East Broadway and Jefferson St.

Situations Wanted—Males.

15c. a line 1 time; 3 times 12c. a line a day; 7 times 10c. a line a day.

ACCOUNTING, ALL BRANCHES.—Books opened, closed, written up, audited; systems installed; experts of wide practical experience; highest references among bank and commercial clients; reasonable rates. Address ACCOUNTICS, No. 225 5th Av. Tel. No. 7180—Mad. Square.

A.—A.—ACCOUNTANT, expert, opens, writes up, disentangles, balances, supervises, closes, audits books; $5 monthly upward; financial statements rendered; references. Accountant, 320 Broadway, Room 1,204. 'Phone 2114 Worth.

ACCOUNTANT, BOOKKEEPER—Examines accounts, simplifies systems, keeps books written up, makes up profit-loss, business statements. Christie, 860 Eastern Parkway, Brooklyn.

ACCOUNTANT.—Expert; books opened, closed, balanced, systematized, audited, written up; kept part time; reasonable. Accountant, 32 Union Square. 'Phone 2259 Stuyvesant.

ACCOUNTANT (degree) desires additional work; any books; any time. P. O. Box 225, Madison Square.

ACCOUNTANT.—Expert all lines; examines, systematizes, audits. Room 511, 320 Broadway. Tel. 2723—Worth.

AN EXPERIENCED ACCOUNTANT, also engaged now as private secretary, thoroughly conversant with required duties, desires to devote some spare time serving in like capacities those who will appreciably recognize accuracy, energy, and faithfulness; undoubtedly could arrange if necessary for permanent services; communications and interviews will be considered strictly confidential. Z 194 Times Downtown.

BOOKKEEPER, accountant; books opened, audited, systems installed; firms not employing bookkeepers, $2.50 weekly. Accountant, Room 231, 280 Broadway. Telephone 2471—Worth.

BOY, 17, bright, intelligent, desires position; good penman, honest, and reliable, can furnish best reference; has had experience in brokerage business. Charles Patt, 8 Willett St., New York City.

BOY, 14, desires position after school hours; bright, honest, and energetic; desires to finish school term. Address F. B., Educational Alliance, East Broadway and Jefferson St., City.

CHAUFFEUR.—Expert driver; had charge of repair shop; will travel. Box 76 Arverne, L. I.

CIVIL ENGINEER, 35, desires to work part time real estate concern with office privileges for private work; references exchanged. D 7 Times, Times Square.

DETECTIVE seeks work by day or week, shadowing, investigating. Bean, 392 Tompkins Av., Brooklyn.

GARDENER.—Thoroughly reliable; 20 years' experience in the cultivation of flowers, fruits, vegetables, under glass and open; American; married, no family; excellent references. Chas. Parnell, Floral Park, N. Y.

SALESMAN—8 years' experience; approaches finest people; will handle any line. Lewis Rockmore, 1,587 Lincoln Pl., Brooklyn.

WANTED—By middle-aged man of large experience, a position as manager of farm; understands machinery thoroughly. Address Lock Box 122 Westport, Conn.

WELL EDUCATED young man desires position as secretary or office assistant; experienced in selling and advertising; employed at present; references. Z 187 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 27, experienced in managing tenements and high-class properties, desires position with reliable real estate firm. Z 142 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, German, speaks but little English, greatly experienced in window trimming, desires position. M. Fuhrmann, 219 East 121st St.

YOUNG MAN, aged 24, 9 years' office experience, intelligent, refined, desires out-door position; at present employed. Y 106 Times Downtown.

YOUNG MAN, 25, having good education and appearance desires position. D 39 Times.

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Boarders Wanted.

15c. a line 1 time; 3 times 12c. a line a day; 7 times 10c. a line a day.

West Side.

7.—1.—46TH, 63 WEST.—Large, sunny room, newly furnished; private bath; gentlemen only; references.

5TH AV., 46.—Well furnished suites and single; good table; handsome parlor; suitable doctor.

36TH ST., 62 WEST.—Medium and small rooms; house, table strictly first-class; references exchanged.

58TH ST., 135 WEST.—Large and small rooms, near "L" and Subway; parlor dining; references.

64TH ST., 115 WEST.—Large, pleasant room; southern exposure; running water; excellent table; moderate.

68TH ST., 74 WEST.—Attractive rooms, comfortably furnished; table guests accommodated; references. Telephone 6666—Col.

72D ST., 133 WEST.—Large front room; southern exposure; also hall room; references.

74TH, 102 WEST.—Desirable suite, private bath; single room, adjoining bath; table guests; references.

76TH ST., 105 WEST.—Large rooms; excellent table and service; reasonable; table guests.

82D ST., 74 WEST.—Large, newly furnished rooms, with board; office, reception room for physician.

91ST, 48 WEST.—Desirable large and small rooms; all conveniences; telephone; table guests accommodated.

91ST ST., 29 WEST.—Large room, dressing rooms, private bath; southern exposure; convenient to Park, Subway.

96TH ST., 64 WEST.—Handsome rooms; bath; superior board; party gentlemen, family; near Central Park.

117TH ST., 415 WEST.—Large room; southern exposure; Summer rates; table guests.

102D ST., 243 WEST, Near West End Av.—Exceptionally large front room, three windows, alcove wardrobe and lavatory; Southern cooking; exclusive home.

123D ST., 168 West.—Airy, well-furnished rooms; substantial board; well-kept, homelike house; references.

ALLIANCE HOUSE, 258-260 West 44th St.—Small family hotel, centrally located; elevator and telephone service; baths and writing rooms on each floor; excellent cuisine; moderate rates; quiet place for quiet people. Telephone, 793—Bryant.

A young bachelor has vacancies for a few young men in his apartment; superior table; references. H. N., 190 Times Downtown.

"THE AUDUBON,"

544 West 149th St., Near Broadway Subway.—Healthiest and most beautiful section in city; large pleasant rooms; cuisine unsurpassed; excellent service; very reasonable; booklet on request.

WASHINGTON HEIGHTS, 713 St. Nicholas Av., near 146th St.—Desirable rooms and excellent board.

East Side.

1.—IRVING PLACE, 53, (GRAMERCY PARK DISTRICT, NICHOLAS FISH MANSION.)—ATTRACTIVE TO THOSE APPRECIATING QUIET, WELL-ORDERED HOUSE; BREAKFAST SERVED IN ROOMS; REFERENCES.

9TH ST., 12 EAST, Near 5th Av.—Attractive large and small rooms; parlor dining; steam heat, telephone; table guests accommodated.

15TH ST., 218 EAST.—Most desirable rooms; view of Stuyvesant Park; excellent table; references; 'phone.

73D ST., 12 EAST.—Lady offers sunny double room, running water, excellent table, references required.

80TH ST., 40 EAST.—Second floor rooms and bath; appointments and board excellent; elevator.

IRVING PLACE, 71.—Desirable furnished rooms; suite two rooms; private baths; small rooms.

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Brooklyn.

MONTAGUE TERRACE HEIGHTS, 5.—Overlooking Wall St.; Subway; 5 minutes Broadway, New York; large, small rooms; river view; neighborhood, house high class; table, choicest products New York markets. 705 Main.

Long Island.

Douglas Manor Inn, Douglaston, on Little Neck Bay; easy commuting distance; special rates starting season early. Apply direct or 1,122 Broadway.

New Jersey.

MONTCLAIR, N. J.—Rooms, with excellent table; good location; near golf club and station. 14 Walnut Crescent. Tel. 301J.

Country Board.

20c. a line 1 time; 7 times 18c. a line a day; 30 times 16 2-3c. a line a day.

COUNTRY BOARD.—One hundred and fifty-acre farm among the hills of Woodbridge, seventy-five miles from New York. Address Hillside Farm, Woodbridge, Conn.

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Furnished Rooms.

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West Side.

14TH ST., 236 WEST.—Very large front room, suitable for studio or 3 persons; reasonable.

19TH ST., 309 WEST.—Sunny, clean, neat rooms; all conveniences; running water; private American family; gentlemen; references.

31ST ST., 28 WEST.—Well furnished, steam heated room for bachelor; adjoins bath; $5.

34TH, 355 WEST.—NICELY FURNISHED BACK PARLOR; PRIVATE BATH; LARGE, SMALL ROOMS; TRANSIENTS ACCOMMODATED.

36TH ST., 40 WEST.—Comfortable hall rooms; large closet; bath; running water; $5-$6 weekly.

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44TH ST., 216 WEST.—Desirable, well-furnished rooms; quiet, refined; board optional; gentlemen; references.

48TH ST., 113 WEST.—Private family wishes to rent large room, with private bath; references.

48TH ST., 244 WEST.—Maison Francaise; beautiful rooms; all conveniences; French cooking; references. Tel. 4058—Bryant.

58TH ST., 17 WEST.—Handsome parlor floor, with extension, bath, suitable for doctor.

63D ST., 143 WEST.—Large, light well-furnished rooms; lavatory, bath; quiet neighborhood; $3-$5.

64TH ST., 122 WEST.—Large room; private bath; newly renovated; suitable for physicians; telephone; plenty hot water all times; all conveniences; also front parlor; cleanliness assured; breakfast optional; references.

64TH ST., 159 WEST.—Desirable connecting rooms, together or separate; well kept house; telephone; moderate.

64TH ST., 119 WEST.—Large, attractive, homelike room; low rate until Sept. 1.

65TH ST., 36 WEST.—Front hall bedroom for one or two gentlemen; hot water and bath.

68TH ST., 38 WEST.—Rooms for gentlemen; absolutely clean; daintily furnished; private house; electric lights, telephone; private baths, every modern convenience; exceptional service; breakfast if desired; highest references only.

68TH ST., 62 WEST.—Select rooms, large and small; fine neighborhood; private bath. Telephone 2599—Columbus.

69TH ST., 103 WEST.—Large and small room; southern exposure; in quiet, select house; all convenience; board optional.

71ST ST., 143 WEST.—Large, sunny room; nicely furnished; Subway and "L" stations; telephone; gentlemen.

77TH ST., 160 WEST.—Exceptionally fine room with extension; physician's office; reception room; service; telephone.

77TH ST., 160 WEST.—Large sunny room, second floor; bath adjoining; suitable for two gentlemen; references.

80TH ST., WEST.—Large, light back parlor, suitable physician; also luxuriously furnished bedroom; exclusive private American family; near Subway and "L"; every convenience; moderate. Telephone 7514 Schuyler.

80TH ST., 122 WEST.—Bachelors' beautiful, airy rooms; bath; preferred surroundings; choice Summer location; references.

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Baptist.

AMITY BAPTIST CHURCH, 308-312 West 54th Street, Rev. LEIGHTON WILLIAMS, D. D., Pastor.—11 A. M., "The Conflict and the Victory." 8 P. M., "The Reality of the Christian Hope."

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH,
Corner 92d St. and Amsterdam Av.,
FRANK M. GOODCHILD, D. D., Pastor.

11 A. M.—First service of worship of the United, Central, and West Park Churches. 8 P. M.—Dr. Goodchild will preach on "The Eloquence of an Empty Grave." Special music. Dr. Gross will preach at 42d St. church at night.

COLLEGIATE BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE COVENANT, West Thirty-third St., between 8th and 9th Aves.—Dr. Oscar Haywood preaches morning, 10:45, "The Women at the Sepulchre." Evening, 7:45, "The First Denier of the Resurrection."

FIFTH AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH,
8 West Forty-sixth St.

The Rev. CHARLES F. AKED, D. D., will preach to-morrow morning and evening. Services at 11 and 8 o'clock.

The special music will include "As It Began to Dawn," Buck; "The Resurrection," Shelly; "When Thou Comest," Rossini; "Alleluia, Christ is Risen," Scott; "Jesus Lives," Macfarlane; "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," Handel; "The King of Love," Shelly. The Ordinance of Believers' Baptism will be observed during the evening service.

BIBLE CLASSES FOR YOUNG MEN AND YOUNG WOMEN AT 9:30 A. M.

MADISON AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH,
MADISON AV., COR. 31ST ST.
CHARLES A. EATON, D. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—"The Keystone in the Arch of Life."
8 P. M.—"Christianity's Debt to Its Enemies."
STRANGERS CORDIALLY INVITED.

MEMORIAL BAPTIST, Washington Square.—EDWARD JUDSON, Pastor, will preach, 11, "Emmaus." Rev. Edward B. Simmons, 8, "The Stone Which Was Rolled Away."

MOUNT MORRIS BAPTIST CHURCH,
Fifth Ave., near 127th St.
Rev. J. HERMAN RANDALL, D. D., Minister.
Public Worship at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.
Morning Service, 11 o'clock. Special Music.
Subject: "The Easter Message."
Evening: Annual Easter Service of Bible School. Baptism of New Members.

WASHINGTON HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH, 145th St., Convent Avenue, Rev. Rufus P. Johnston.—11 o'clock, "The Life That Was and Is." 3:30 o'clock, Baptismal Services. 8 o'clock, Children's Easter Service.

Congregational.

BROADWAY TABERNACLE,
Broadway and 56th Street.
Rev. CHARLES E. JEFFERSON, D. D., Pastor.
Public Worship at 11 A. M.
Dr. Jefferson will preach.
8 P. M. SPECIAL MUSICAL SERVICE.
"Messiah Victorious," by Hammond.
Wednesday, 8 P. M., Prayer Meeting.

7th Av. METROPOLITAN TEMPLE 14th St.
John Wesley Hill.
11—DR. COOKE, "THE ONLY PROOF OF IMMORTALITY."
8—DR. HILL, "SOCIALISM, A PERIL TO THE STATE."
Easter Music.

Disciples of Christ (Christian.)

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST, FIRST CHURCH, 323 West 56th St., Rev. W. L. FISHER, Pastor.—Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Mr. DELOSS SMITH, GOSPEL SINGER.

LENOX AVENUE UNION CHURCH,
74 West 126th St. Services, 11 and 8.
WM. BAYARD CRAIG, D.D., LL.D., Minister.

Ethical Culture.

SOCIETY FOR ETHICAL CULTURE.
Carnegie Hall, 57th St., 7th Av.—11 A. M.
—DR. FELIX ADLER—
will deliver an EASTER ADDRESS.

Jewish.

AT TEMPLE BETH-EL, 5TH AV. AND 76TH St.—Sunday, 11 A. M., Dr. Schulman on "The Jewish Message in Christendom." All are welcome.

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EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE HOLY TRINITY, Central Park West at 65th St., The Rev. Charles J. Smith, Pastor.—Sunday School at 9:30 A. M. Chief Service at 11 o'clock. Vespers at 5 P. M.

Methodist Episcopal.

GRACE CHURCH, 104th St., west of Columbus Av., Charles Howland Cookman, Minister.
11—"The Assurance of the Glorified Christ."
8—"Keeping the Feast." Chorus and quartet.

MADISON AVENUE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
Corner 60th Street.
Rev. WALLACE MacMULLEN, D. D., Pastor.

11 A. M.—Easter Service, with special music and sermon by the Pastor. Subject, "The Triumph of Christ."

8 P. M.—SPECIAL MUSICAL SERVICE, at which the cantata, "Christ, the Victor," by Dudley Buck, will be rendered by the choir, with violin and 'cello accompaniment.

SAINT ANDREW'S CHURCH,
76th St., west of Columbus Avenue.
GEORGE CLARKE PECK, D. D., Minister.
11 A. M.—Easter Sermon and Music.
8 P. M.—Musical Service, with Easter Address by the Minister.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH,
West End Av. and 86th St.
Rev. GEORGE P. ECKMAN, D. D., Pastor.
EASTER CELEBRATION.
11. "A THING INCREDIBLE."
8, EASTER CANTATA, "The Conqueror." Berge.
Short Address by the Pastor on
"THE SAME DAY AT EVENING."

UNION CHURCH, 48th St., west of Broadway, J. LEWIS HARTSOCK, minister.—11 A. M., "The Resurrection and the Life." 8 P. M., Easter Festival by the Sunday School.

WASHINGTON SQUARE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
Fourth St., near 6th Ave.
10:45 A. M.—Bishop W. F. Anderson.
8:00 P. M.—Shelley's Easter Cantata, "Death and Life."

New Church.

CHURCH OF THE NEW JERUSALEM, 35th St., between the Park and Lexington Aves.—The Rev. JULIAN K. SMYTH, Pastor.

EASTER SERVICE 11 A. M., with sermon by the Pastor. Subject:
"THE BENEDICTION OF THE RISEN LORD."
Special service Chapel of Divine Providence, 423 West 43rd St., 4 P. M.

New Thought.

NEW THOUGHT CHURCH, Belasco Theatre, W. 42d St., near Broadway.—Sundays, 11 A. M., Julia Seton Sears, M. D., Speaker. Masonic Hall, Lenox Av. and 126th St., 8 P. M., F. W. Sears, Speaker. Public invited.

NEW THOUGHT MEETINGS, Plaza Studios, 5 West 58th St.—Sunday, 11 A. M.; Tuesday at noon, and Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Speaker, W. Ellis Williams. Public invited.

Presbyterian.

ADAMS CHAPEL, UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, 700 Park Av.—Sunday afternoon services at 4:30 o'clock. There will be no service on Sunday, March 27, owing to the Easter Recess.

BRICK CHURCH,
Fifth Ave. and Thirty-seventh Street.
Dr. Henry Van Dyke will preach at 11 A. M.
Rev. Robert Davis at 4 and 8 P. M.
Bible School and Classes, 9:45 A. M.
Wednesday Evening Service at 8.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
West 57th St., between Broadway, 7th Av.
Rev. WILTON MERLE-SMITH, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. G. H. SMYTH, Jr., Assistant.
Dr. Merle-Smith preaches at 11 A. M.
Mr. Smyth at 8 P. M.

Evening subject, "IS EASTER A DELUSION?" Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday morning at 9:45; Sunday School 3 P. M.; devotional meeting Wednesday evening at 8. ALL WELCOME.

FIFTH AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Fifth Avenue and Fifty-fifth St.
Services at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.
REV. HOWARD AGNEW JOHNSTON, D. D.,
will preach at both services.

Morning Subject: "Christ's Revelation of Life." In the afternoon Dr. Johnston will give an account of a conversation with Hindu Students on the difference between the Religious Life of America and of India. Sunday School at 9:30 A. M.

REV. WILBERT W. WHITE, D. D., will teach the Men's Bible Class at 10 A. M.
REV. ARTHUR T. PIERSON, D. D., will preach on Wednesday Evening at 8:15.
STRANGERS ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.

FOURTH AVE. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. WALTER DUNCAN BUCHANAN, D. D., Minister, preaches to-morrow in the Assembly Room of the United Charities Building, 109 East 22d Street, at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Midweek prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 P. M.

FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
West End Av. and 91st St.
EDGAR WHITAKER WORK, D. D., Pastor.
P. ELWOOD ERICKSON, Assistant.

Easter music morning and evening. Double quartet at evening service. Dr. Work preaches, both services.

Evening Topic: "Life After Death."

MADISON AVE. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Northeast corner of 73d St.
Public worship at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Dr. Henry Sloane Coffin will preach at 11 A. M.

MADISON SQ. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Madison Avenue and 24th Street.
Rev. C. H. PARKHURST, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. G. R. MONTGOMERY, Ph.D.,
Assistant minister.

The pastor will preach 11 A. M., 8 P. M.
Practical talks to men by Dr. Fagnani, 10 A.M.
Special Easter music, beginning half an hour before each service.

PARK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 86th St., Amsterdam Av.—Preaching by Pastor, Dr. Anson P. Atterbury, 11 A. M., 8 P. M.

RUTGERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Broadway and 73d Street.
Easter Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Preaching by the
REV. ARTHUR T. PIERSON, D. D.

UNIVERSITY PLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Cor. of 10th St., (one block west from Broadway,) GEORGE ALEXANDER, D.D., Pastor.—Public Worship to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. At the morning service the Pastor will preach. In the evening at 8 o'clock, in the Church, the Sunday School will hold an Easter service, to which all are invited. Service preparatory to the Communion will be held on Wednesday evening, in the Chapel, at 8 o'clock.

WEST END PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
Amsterdam Avenue and 105th St.
Rev. A. EDWIN KEIGWIN, D. D., Pastor, preaches Easter Sermon at 11 A. M.
8 P. M., Cantata by Choir, Easter Jubilee.

WEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
On 42d St., between 5th and 6th Avs.
Rev. ANTHONY H. EVANS, D. D., Pastor, preaches at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

Protestant Episcopal.

ALL ANGELS' CHURCH, West End Av. and 81st St., Rev. S. De Lancey Townsend, D. D., Rector.—Holy Communion, 6:30 and 8 A. M. Holy Communion and sermon by the rector, 11 A. M. Choral Evensong, 4 P. M.

CALVARY CHURCH, 4th Av., 21st St., Rev. J. LEWIS PARKS, S. T. D., Rector.—Celebrations, 6, 8, 9:30, 11 A. M. Morning Prayer, Sermon, 11. Organ Recital, 7:45. Evensong, 8 P. M.

ORCHESTRA OF TRUMPETS AND DRUMS.

CHRIST CHURCH, Broadway, 71st St., Rev. G. A. STRONG, Rector.—Easter Services, 7, 8, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN, 139 west 46th St., Rev. J. G. H. Barry, D. D., Rector.—Low masses 6:30, 7:30, 8:15, 9. Solemn mass, procession and sermon, 10:45. (Right Rev. R. H. Weller, Bishop Coadjutor of Fond du Lac.) Evensong and procession, 4.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION,
Fifth Avenue and Tenth Street.
REV. DR. PERCY STICKNEY GRANT, Rector.
11 A. M. Morning service and sermon (rector.)
4 P. M. Handel's "The Messiah."
Rev. Andrew F. Underhill, preacher.
8 P. M. Mr. Alexander Irvine,
"A Plea for the Abolition of Cemeteries."
9 P. M. Prof. Frank G. Goodnow,
"As It Is Done in New Zealand."

CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION,
20th Street and 6th Avenue.
EASTER SERVICES.
7:00 A. M.—Carol Service.
7:30 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11:00 A. M.—Service and Sermon.
12:00 M.—Holy Communion.
3:00 P. M.—Baptism.
4:00 P. M.—Children's Festival.
8:00 P. M.—Service and Sermon.

CHURCH OF THE INCARNATION, Madison Avenue, 35th St., Rev. W. M. Grosvenor, D. D., Rector.—8 and 10 A. M., Holy Communion; 11 A. M., Morning Prayer, Sermon, (Rector,) and Holy Communion; 4 P. M., Sunday School's Festival.

CHURCH of the TRANSFIGURATION, 1 E. 29.
DR. GEORGE CLARKE HOUGHTON, Rector.
Communions: 6, 7, 8, 9. Mozart's Mass in B flat, (Orchestra,) 10:30. CHORAL EVENSONG (Orchestra) PROCESSION, 4 o'clock. Carols and Sermon, 8 P. M.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH,
Madison Avenue, corner 44th Street,
The Rev. LEIGHTON PARKS, D.D., Rector.
7:30 A. M., Holy Communion.
11 A. M., Morning Service and Holy Communion.
3 P. M., Children's Festival.
4 P. M., Evening Prayer and Address.
8 P. M., Illustrated Lecture on Oriental Travel.

Protestant Episcopal.

CHURCH OF ZION AND ST. TIMOTHY,
334 West 57th Street.
Rector, Rev. HENRY LUBECK, D. C. L.
Holy Communion .... 7:00 A. M.
Morning Prayer, Holy Communion:
Preacher, the Rector .... 11:00 A. M.
Children's Service: Preacher, Rev.
Dr. Rushton .... 3:30 P. M.

On Thursday, March 31st, a Reception in connection with the Centenary of Zion Church will be given in the Parish House, 333 West 56th Street, from 8:30 P. M. to 10.

At ST. JAMES'S CHURCH, Madison Av., 71st.
7:30 A. M.—Holy Communion.
9:15 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Prayer, Holy Communion and Sermon: BISHOP COURTNEY.
4:00 P. M.—Children's Easter Festival Service. Address: BISHOP COURTNEY.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, Convent Ave. and W. 141st St., the Rev. G. ASHTON OLDHAM, Rector.—Services 8 and 11 A. M.; 4 and 8 P. M.

ST. MARK'S, 2d Ave. and 10th St., Rev. Dr. L. W. BATTEN, Rector.—Easter Services: Holy Communion, with singing of Easter Carols by Children's Choirs, 8 A. M.; Morning Prayer, Sermon and Holy Communion, with special program of Easter Music, 11 A. M.; Sunday School Festival, 8 P. M.

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH, 84th St. West, near Central Park, Rev. ARTHUR H. JUDGE, Rector.—Easter Day: 7, 8, and 11 A. M.; 4 and 8 P. M.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH,
122-128 West 69th St.
Rev. NATHAN A. SEAGLE, D. D., Rector.
Easter Services
at 8 A. M. and 11 A. M. and at 4 P. M.
Special music.

TRINITY CHURCH.
Sunday Services—7:30, 10:30 A. M. (Sermon;) 3:30, 8:00 P. M.
Week day Services—7:30, 9:00 A. M.; 3 P. M.
High Celebration and sermon by Dr. W. T. Manning, Rector, at 10:30 Easter morning.
Special musical program at 3:30 P. M.
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Reformed.

BLOOMINGDALE REFORMED CHURCH, Broadway and 106th St., Rev. WM. C. STINSON, D. D., Minister.—Joyous, inspiring Easter music, vocal and instrumental, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

GRACE REFORMED CHURCH, Seventh Ave., 54th St., Rev. J. R. DURYEE, D. D., Minister.—Services 10:45 A. M., 3 P. M.

MADISON AVENUE REFORMED CHURCH,
57th St. and Madison Av.
Easter services to-morrow,
11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Dr. CARTER preaches at both services.
Special Easter music morning and evening.

SOUTH CHURCH, Madison Av. and 38th St., Rev. Thomas Reed Bridges, D. D., Minister. —11 A. M., Morning Service and Sermon. 3 P. M.—Easter Exercises of Sunday School.

Reformed Catholic.

SERVICES IN CHRIST'S MISSION, 331 West 57th St.—Afternoon, 3:30. Pastor O'Connor and former priests. Mr. Stebbins sings.

Society of Friends.

RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.—Meetings for worship, 11 A. M., at 221 East 15th St., Manhattan, and 110 Schermerhorn St., Brooklyn.

Theosophy.

THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, 226 West 58th St.—Sunday, 8:30 P. M., Public Lecture by Mrs. Myrtle Willis, "The Power of the Unseen."

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY, 244 Lenox Av.—Sunday evening, 8:15, "The Mind," C. E. Birdsall. Next Tuesday evening, "Time and Space."

Unitarian.

ALL SOULS', (Unitarian,) Fourth Avenue, 20th.—Rev. THOMAS R. SLICER, Pastor, will preach a "SPECIAL EASTER SERMON." Services at 11 A. M. Special Easter Music. All cordially invited.

CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH
(UNITARIAN), Park Av. and 34th St.
Ministers { Rev. Robert Collyer, Lit. D.
Rev. John Haynes Holmes.
11 A. M. .... EASTER SERVICE

Rev. JOHN HAYNES HOLMES will preach. Subject: "THE LIVING CHRIST, OR THE UNITARIAN IDEA OF THE RESURRECTION." Special musical service by double quartet and violin. Reception of new members.

3 P. M. SUNDAY SCHOOL EASTER CONCERT

At LENOX AVENUE UNITARIAN CHURCH,
Corner 121st Street. Services at 11.
"BIRTHRIGHT."
Rev. Merle St. Croix Wright, D. D., Minister.
Special Easter Service. Charlotte Welles Saenger at the organ.

WASHINGTON HEIGHTS UNITARIAN SERVICES, 600 West 181st Street, (S. W. cor. St. Nicholas Ave.)—8 P. M., Rev. GEO. H. BADGER, "IF A MAN DIE SHALL HE LIVE AGAIN?"

Universalist.

THE CHURCH OF THE DIVINE PATERNITY, Central Park West and 76th St.—The Pastor, FRANK OLIVER HALL, D. D., will preach at 11 A. M. the seventh sermon in the series on "THE NEW RELIGION." Subject: "THE HOPE OF IMMORTALITY." At 8 P. M., "The Victory Divine" Cantata, by J. Christopher Marks, sung by choir and full chorus. Brief address, "The Heaven Within and the Heaven Without," by Dr. Hall.

Other Services.

BAHAI REVELATION, Genealogical Hall, 226 West 58th St.—Sunday mornings, 11, "Glad Tidings of the Great Day of God." Public cordially invited.

Dr. Warren's Easter Service, Hotel Endicott, 4 P. M. Seventh Season. Public invited.

FIRST ASSOCIATION SPIRITUALISTS, Lincoln Square Arcade, Broadway, 65th and 66th Sts.—Sundays, 3 and 8; Wednesdays, 8. Messages and address, Rev. RUFUS A. MACURDA; Lecture, Miss Amalia Pfenning.

FIRST CHURCH OF WESTERN OCCULTISM. —Services at Berkeley Theatre, 19 West 44th St., Sunday, Mar. 27, at 3:30 P. M. Address by ISABELLA INGALESE on "Easter Demonstrations." All invited.

FIRST ETHICAL SOCIETY,
Elks' Hall, 59th St. and 8th Av.
Services Sundays, 3 o'clock, Margaret Gaule giving psychic messages. Special music.
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GOSPEL TABERNACLE CHURCH, 44th Street and 8th Avenue.—Easter Sunday, 10:30 A. M. and 8 P. M., Rev. F. E. MARSH. Morning Subject, "The Resurrection Life." Evening Subject, "The Love of Christ." Note—This will be the last Sunday Mr. Marsh will preach in the Tabernacle before leaving for England.

HENRY FRANK, BERKELEY THEATRE,
19 West 44th St., 11.

Mrs. Anna J. Johnson, Evangelist, speaks at 3. Subject, "Christ Risen in Man." All welcome. 317 West 119th, Cor. Manhattan Av.

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PROPOSALS.

OFFICE PURCHASING COMMISSARY, U. S. Army, 39 Whitehall Street, New York City, N. Y., March 25, 1910.—Sealed proposals, in duplicate, for furnishing and delivering subsistence stores in this city at such times as may be required by the United States Government, on or before May 31, 1910, in accordance with the specifications and conditions set forth in Circular No. 4, War Department, Office of the Commissary General, Washington, March 27, 1908, will be received at this office until 10 o'clock A. M., April 5, 1910. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing bids should be marked "Proposals for Subsistence Stores, Opened April 5, 1910," and addressed to Col. A. L. Smith, A. C. G., U. S. Army.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Lighthouse Inspector, Tompkinsville, N. Y., until 2 o'clock P. M., April 12, 1910, and then opened, for furnishing and delivering fuel and provisions for vessels and stations in the Third Lighthouse District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1911, in accordance with specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals and other information, may be had upon application to the Lighthouse Inspector, Tompkinsville, N. Y.

WEST POINT, N. Y., March 1, 1910.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, for furnishing fuel at this Post, will be received until 12 o'clock M., April 1, 1910. Deliveries to be made during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1911. Information furnished upon application. The U. S. reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals should be endorsed "Proposals for Fuel." Addressed Quartermaster.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, ROOM 710, ARMY Building, New York, N. Y., Feb. 28, 1910.—Sealed proposals for dredging in Patchogue River, Great South Bay, N. Y., and Brown's Creek, N. Y., will be received at this office until 12 M., March 29, 1910, and then publicly opened. Information on application. W. M. Black, Col. Engrs.

JEWISH CHARITIES DECIDE TO SEPARATE

Widowed Mothers' Fund Refuses to Work Through United Hebrew Association.

DENIES WASTE OF EFFORT

Action of Organization in Distributing Its Own Funds Condemned by Jewish Communal Council.

Rival methods of distributing relief to the worthy poor so that it will help without pauperizing, so that for each dime given out a dollar will not be consumed in administration, figure in a feud that has just come to an end between two prominent Jewish charitable organizations.

The organizations are the United Hebrew Charities and the Widowed Mothers' Fund Association, which was organized when the former's funds were temporarily exhausted following the panic of 1907.

The Council of Jewish Communal Institutions disapproves the Widowed Mothers' Fund Association. It was brought before the council by the United Hebrew Charities, which didn't like the work it was doing nor the way in which its officers co-operated with theirs after the joint board had been agreed upon.

In making public its decision, which was determined upon at a meeting on last Monday evening, the Council of Jewish Communal Institutions gave out correspondence between the rival charitable associations covering a period of several months.

The correspondence began on Dec. 14, when the United Hebrew Charities decided that it had been working jointly with its neighbor long enough, and that it was time to stop. Its Secretary accordingly sent a letter to the Secretary of the Widowed Mothers' Fund Association, declaring some of the reasons that impelled it to this separation.

"Your appeal to the public," the letter read, "is based on the statement that homes which should be maintained would be broken up but for your intervention. As a matter of fact at the time your organization was formed the United Hebrew Charities was expending $100,000 a year in maintaining the homes of widowed and deserted women with their children. From the time your organization was formed to the end of the present month we have expended $70,000, to which your addition has been $4,847, which is less than 7 per cent."

The letter then charges that the women of the Fund Association had repudiated promises and agreements in not informing the United Hebrew Charities from month to month of their collections and in maintaining a separate office for the distribution of relief instead of letting it all be attended to from the United Hebrew Charities stations. It also charges that no accounting had been made of administrative expenses, and that it was wasteful to maintain duplicate administrative centres.

To this the women responded on Dec. 28 that they were well satisfied with the working of their office and didn't propose to give it up, and moreover, were doing splendid work among widows, their association having been organized "on the evidence that a large number of Jewish widows sent by you to the Department of Public Charities, pleaded for relief to prevent the breaking up of their homes and the commitment of their children. The women of the community formed the association as a result of scenes witnessed at the Department of Public Charities. We call your attention to your admission that your funds were insufficient to longer maintain these homes intact."

The United Charities Secretary on Jan. 3 wrote again saying that the work of the women was a negligible quantity in proportion to the whole sum accomplished, and that it had no influence whatever in preventing the breaking up of homes.

That decided the women upon working independently, and they replied that in the future they would do so. On Jan. 9 they sent the Charities Secretary a list of thirteen families over whom they would in the future exercise all needful care.

"This action on your part," was the prompt reply, "demonstrates the correctness of your contention that the existence of your organization causes a wasteful expenditure of the funds of the community. Relief by this society in these cases has been suspended—in every case for good reasons.

"In the opinion of the board, the taking over of these cases by your organization encourages pauperism and is a decided detriment to the orderly administration of relief."

At this stage of the disagreement the Council of Jewish Communal Institutions took a hand as a mediator and appointed a committee of three, consisting of Judge Samuel Greenbaum, Lee Kohns, and Leopold Plaut, to patch up a truce. The committee worked for a month upon a plan by which the women would retain their organization as collectors of money for charity, but would dispense with their system of paying it out, turning all this work over to the United Hebrew Charities. It failed to obtain the women's agreement to this plan, and finally, on March 21, reported these recommendations, which were adopted:

> Resolved, That the action of the Charities in discontinuing their relations with the Widowed Mothers' Fund Association is approved and that the independent activity of the latter association is disapproved.
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> Your committee is of the opinion that the action of the Widowed Mothers' Fund Association encourages pauperism, and needlessly duplicates work already done by the United Hebrew Charities which that organization is competent and able to do both financially and in fact.

The women of the Widowed Mother Fund Association plan to continue their independent activity regardless of the action taken against them, and to furnish a list of families they are caring for to the United Hebrew Charities, so that there will not be duplication of work on account of overlapping effort. If the United Hebrew Charities will reciprocate in this service the women say they will get along with it very well.

WOMAN A BURGLAR ALARM.

Calls for Help Though Thief Threatens Her with Death—Leaves Loot Behind.

A burglar entered the apartment of A. P. Hicks, a traveling salesman, at 133 West Eighty-ninth Street, late on Thursday night while Mrs. Hicks was at the opera. Mr. Hicks is out of the city on business.

Miss Maude Hart, who lives in the apartment house at 135 West Eighty-ninth Street, was in the yard about 10 o'clock when she saw a man, carrying a bundle, climbing the fence which separates the two yards. Miss Hart cried out and the stranger vaulted the fence, dropped the bag, ran to Miss Hart, and threatened to shoot her if she yelled again. She ran into the hallway, screaming. The stranger took up his bag and started over the rear fence that also looks into the yard of the house at 140 West Ninetieth Street.

The screams of the young woman brought the tenants of the building to their doors and caused residents of the buildings in the neighborhood to raise their windows. Among them were Louis Ackerman and Charles Bowler, who live in the same building as Miss Hart. With revolvers they ran into the yard just in time to see the burglar's head disappearing on the other side of the fence. But he left his bag of loot behind. It contained some jewelry, glassware, trinkets, and clothing, which Mrs. Hicks later identified as hers.

Several apartments have been robbed in the neighborhood in the last few months and the police credit them to the burglar who got away. About a month ago a burglar entered the apartment in which Miss Hart lives with Miss Florence Lehman, a trained nurse, and stole several trinkets.

BOMB FOR A GIRL.

Rejected Suitor, Arrested, Denies He Put It in Tenement House.

On a charge that he threatened the life of the father of 17-year-old Hilda Stone of 133 Liberty Avenue, Brooklyn, who believes that her murder was attempted early yesterday morning when a bomb was exploded in the tenement, Frank Sanacki, a barber, living at 945 Grand Street, Williamsburg, was locked up last night in the Brownsville Police Station.

He denied the suggestion made by the police and Miss Stone that he had set off the bomb because she refused to elope with him. He said he could not be held responsible for the explosion as he was in Manhattan at the time it occurred.

The police learned that Sanacki and Miss Stone had met early on Thursday night at Powell Street and East New York Avenue, a block or two from her home. There was no appointment, the girl said. They just happened to meet. He showed her a postal card signed with her name. It asked him to meet her. She declared it a forgery, and wanted nothing more to do with him. She caused the man's arrest several months ago, but the case was dismissed, the police say.

The girl's father, Loyis Stone, declared that Sanacki threatened to shoot him on Feb. 25 because Stone had come between his daughter and Sanacki.

Joy-Riding Chauffeur Arrested.

Oscar B. Bergstrom, a banker, at 149 Broadway, living at 116 Riverside Drive, last night caused the arrest of his chauffeur, Henry Maynes of 200 West Eighty-fourth Street, on a charge of grand larceny, based on the anti-joy-riding statute. Bergstrom alleges that Maynes took the car out without his permission.

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We'll grant that all honest hat makers use good materials and put good workmanship into their hats. But what good is quality without style? Style is the "seasoning" that makes a hat good or bad—and it's the cleverness and originality of hat making that produce style.
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I show four styles to any other Hatter's one, and they are shapes that you won't find elsewhere. You can be sure of the quality of my hats because I guarantee every hat I sell. It must give a good season's service or I'll give you another hat that will.

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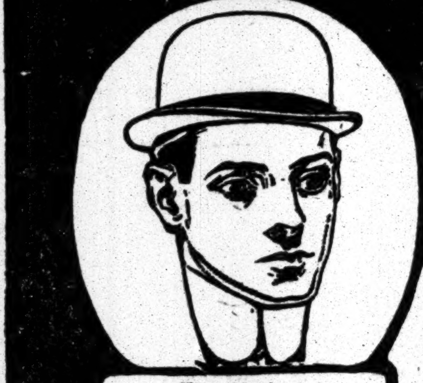
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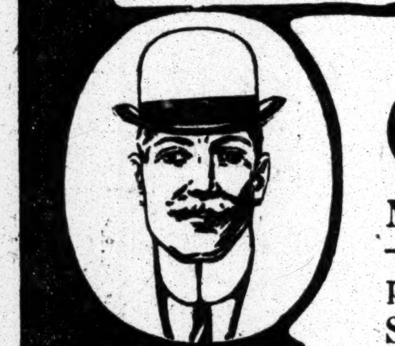
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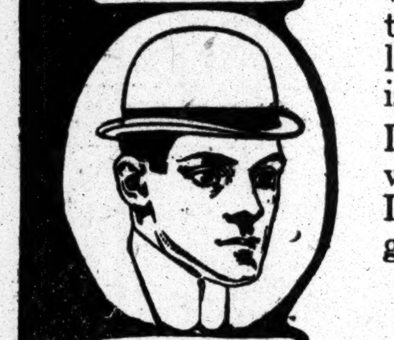
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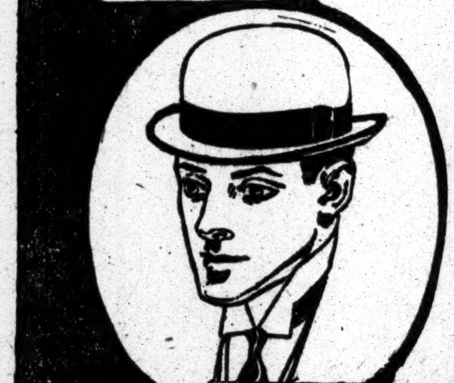
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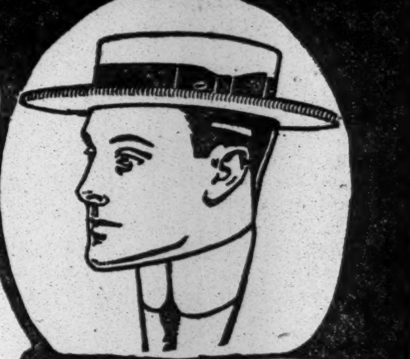
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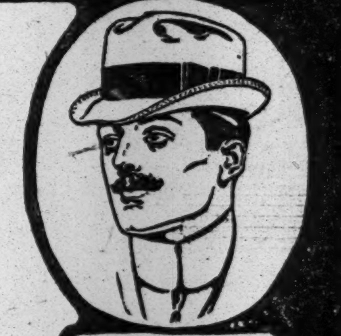
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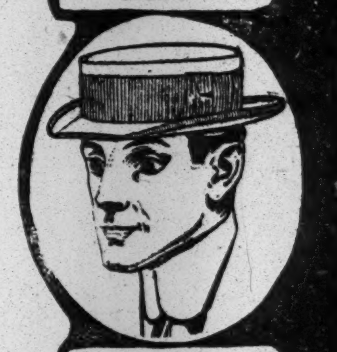
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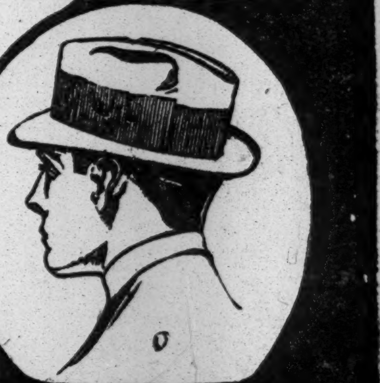
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SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS.

LITERARY SECTION OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.

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LIGHT.

By MADISON CAWEIN.

THE golden chrysalis of dawn
Breaks through its heavenly husk,
And, winged with rose, floats up and on,
Scattering with flame the dusk.

Out of what darkness daybreak brings
Its gonfalon of gold,
Inscribed with elemental things
That God has never told.

Ah, Heaven! how good it is to live,
One with abounding day!
To be no longer fugitive
On life's down-darkening way!

But, part and portion of the light,
To rise again reborn;
Beyond the shadow and the night,
Anointed of the morn.

—From Lippincott's Magazine for April.

TOPICS OF THE WEEK.

SOME PICTURESQUE ENGLISH.

Mr. Yone Noguchi's picturesque English gives double point to his statement in the Atlantic Monthly for April that 100 years ago, "in Japan as in other countries, * * * the interruptions which pass nowadays under the hypocritical name of sociableness did not flap in the air so wantonly." Sociableness flapping in the air is a fine figure of speech, whether the flap is performed wantonly as to-day or in the manner of 100 years ago.

ROGERS AT PRAYER.

Samuel Rogers, the poet and banker, who as a boy—he was born in 1763—knocked at Dr. Johnson's door and who lived long enough—he died in 1855—to have the Poet Laureateship offered to him on the death of Wordsworth and to become the personal friend of Gladstone, is to have a new biography, written by Mr. Ellis Roberts. In his lifetime Samuel Rogers was rated high in literature, the result chiefly of "The Pleasures of Memory," which he wrote in 1792, but in recent years he has dropped into comparative oblivion. Still his biographer will have ample material to choose from to make up a readable book of memoirs done in the modern style. Rogers was an ugly man, of bitter tongue and caustic humor, but he drew around him many brilliant men, and sometimes he was paid back in his own coin, as, for instance, by Sydney Smith. "Rogers," said Smith on one occasion, "I hear you are going to have your portrait painted. Have you thought of the attitude to assume?" The poet confessed that he had given the matter no attention, and asked Smith for a suggestion, whereupon the reverend critic and wit gravely advised "an attitude of prayer, that he might hide his face in his hands."

CURLS IN EVOLUTION.

Seventy years ago young girls wore their hair in braids or coils at the back of the head, and fastened small bunches of short ringlets in front of each ear, using little curved shell combs for the purpose. One sees them in all the fashion plates of the time and in all the illustrations made for novels, and, further, the girls who wore the curls became fond of them and continued to wear them into middle age and old age. Thirty years ago, turned to silver, they figured at the meetings of missionary societies and philanthropic gatherings; they were seen in coming from the very best houses in the cities of the North and of the South, worn by some "dear Aunt Kate" or "dear Aunt Margaret," but they slowly vanished. Now the London hairdressers are planning their revival. The original illustrations of "Felix Holt" and the portraits of Queen Victoria's bridesmaids and first Court ladies show them, and Fanny Squeers wore a burlesque of them, and now they will return!

OLD PUBLISHING STATISTICS.

Some interesting figures on book publishing a half century and more ago are found in Prof. Fite's interesting study of "Social and Industrial Conditions in the North During the Civil War," (The Macmillan Company.) During 1909 no less than 10,901 new books were published in the United States. Here is the record of certain other years, as given by Prof. Fite: In the United States 449 books were published in 1834, 2,162 in 1855, (746 reprints,) 3,900 in 1862, and 3,800 in 1863. English publishers claimed that the Americans were pirates and stole their works; on this point there was an angry controversy. One English charge rankled in the hearts of all patriotic Americans. "Who reads an American book?" sneeringly asked Sydney Smith fifty years back, and then proceeded to show that there was no real American literature of the time. In 1860 this was rather tardily answered by a writer in The Boston Post, who seemed to think that quantity and quality were synonymous terms; up to 1860, he showed, 75,000 copies of Story's law books had been sold, 30,000 of those of Bouvier, 800,000 of Irving's works, 140,000 of those of the arctic explorer Kane, 310,000 of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," 93,000 of "The Lamplighter," 450,000 of "Barnes's Notes on the New Testament," 1,000,000 of T. S. Arthur, 1,250,000 of Abbot's Rollo, Lucy, and Jonas books, 400,000 of Mrs. Williams's histories, 195,000 of Appleton's Cyclopaedia, 80,000 copies of Benton's "Thirty Years," 45,000 of his "Abridgment of Congressional Debates," 50,000 of Cooper's novels, 150,000 copies of Bayard Taylor, 186,000 of J. C. Headley, 70,000 of Ik Marvel, 600,000 of Mitchel's geographies, 110,000 of Goodyear's histories, 30,000,000 of Webster's spellers. The author of this defense claimed that he had access to the books of the publishers in all cases and that the figures given were accordingly accurate.

THE SOURCE OF IBSEN'S CHARACTERS.

Did Ibsen draw his characters from living people? The question has been asked of almost every master of fiction or the drama, and has given rise in most cases to a controversy that must, in the nature of things, remain unsettled. Thus, as to Ibsen, a newspaper dispatch announces that the real Nora of "The Doll's House" died recently in Christiania. This Nora in real life, it appears, was Alma Herming, the wife of a doctor whom Ibsen knew slightly. She is described by the writer of the dispatch as having been a charming young woman, gay and vivacious, who had married for love and who had afterward become disillusioned because her husband turned out to be a drunkard and a gambler. Everybody in Christiania knew also, it is stated, that this Alma Herming cherished a lifelong platonic friendship for a young workman of the neighborhood. Incidentally Mrs. Herming left her husband, never to return to him—and it was at the psychological moment of her leaving that Ibsen happened to pass the Herming mansion and was struck with the expression on the departing wife's face, "an expression," as he is said to have described it, "of superb decision and deepest sadness." The story is undoubtedly an interesting one; but, after all, the differences between the lives of the actual Alma and the fictitious Nora are more marked than the coincidences, and one would need Ibsen's own affirmation before accepting the one as the prototype of the other.

THE SIXTH SHAKESPEARE SIGNATURE.

Dr. Wallace's Shakespearean discoveries, now that they are published in full in this month's Harper's Magazine, are exciting no little surprise among English literary critics. The surprise is not so much due to the extent or nature of the discoveries themselves, as that an American, a professor from the "far State of Nebraska," should have been able to invade the English Record Office and actually unearth from among its musty archives treasures that have escaped the British antiquarian for three centuries. Clement Shorter humorously speculates, in The London Sphere, as to the possibility of this being another "north pole hoax," and wonders, in that connection, whether it would be "possible to interpolate a manuscript or a half dozen manuscripts among the Elizabethan documents in the Record Office." But the officials assure him that this is not possible—and so there is nothing for it but to accept the fact that Dr. Wallace of Nebraska did make the discoveries that he claims to have made. Critics disagree, however, as to the relative importance to the Shakespearean student of these discoveries. They merely show, say they, that Shakespeare was a witness in a trivial suit at law, and incidentally disclose the fact that he was a lodger at one time in the year 1604 in a house in Silver Street, near Wood Street, in the City of London. Dr. Wallace's work, however, according to Sidney Lee in The Illustrated London News, has produced something more substantial than that. "The documents," he says, "include depositions to which the dramatist has attached his authentic signature; and thus Dr. Wallace has achieved the indisputable triumph of adding one more to the five already known autograph signatures of the great poet."

JAPAN AND THE JAPANESE

The Growth and Development of the Mikado's Kingdom During the Last Fifty Years Considered in an Important Work by Count Okuma.

A LIVING HISTORY OF LIVING MEN

Foreign Relations, National Defense, the Constitution, and Financial Affairs Considered by Authorities.

By KIYOSHI K. KAWAKAMI.

COUNT OKUMA, the editor of the original edition of the book "Fifty Years of New Japan,"* is without doubt the most versatile of the Japanese statesmen of to-day. A political leader first and foremost, he is also a scholar and educator. He may without impropriety be called an idealist, yet he has withal shown an uncommon ability in the management of worldly affairs. A man of wide experience and varied taste, he is naturally a brilliant and entertaining talker, and his speech embraces almost all subjects. He can form an opinion upon politics as readily as upon philosophical questions; he can lecture on public finance as well as on religion; his discourses upon such homely topics as commerce and industry are as interesting as his views upon literature and art. To his admirers he is a "Grand Old Man," animated with high ideals, inspiring his followers with noble aspirations, and even endowed with a certain prophetic vision. That he has a large number of admirers can readily be accounted for when it is remarked that not only is he the leader of the Progressive Party, which he himself organized some three decades ago, but he is also the father of Waseda University, which annually turns out hundreds of graduates instructed in political science, economics, and literature. And yet he is not without detractors, who see in him a bombastic and often indiscreet talker, prone to employ the art of "bluffing"; a professed advocate of democracy, but at heart and in habit an ostentatious aristocrat; an essentially worldly man who knows how to wax opulent by means which, judged by the strict canon of a gentleman, are hardly permissible. Whatever such uncongenial critics may say, there are certain phases of his personality which no one can help admiring. Principal of such characteristics are versatility and resourcefulness, an unfaltering energy, and an exceedingly retentive memory, and these unquestionably were the forces which saved his star from waning although his Ministerial career virtually ended twelve years ago.

It has been Count Okuma's ideal and ambition to inaugurate in his country a parliamentary government such as is practiced in England, but after years of battle he finds the adamantine wall of the bureaucracy still looming before him as impregnable as ever. He had filled various Ministerial positions, but once, and only once, was he accorded an opportunity to organize his own Cabinet along the lines of his cherished ideals by bringing about the coalition of his political party with the Liberals. But the Government thus organized lasted only a few months, and the sun of the great progressive leader went down, it may be said, while it was yet day. Yet he was a too forceful personality to be prostrated by that disastrous political episode. His hopes in the political world having thus been blighted, he directed his best energies to educational work and literary undertakings, determined to lead his countrymen into the path of greater enlightenment and disseminate among the masses practical knowledge concerning constitutional government. Thus Count Okuma, waxing greater in influence and popularity, has been a cynosure of all eyes in his country, while in the West his name is better known than those of most Japanese statesmen in the Government.

The career of Count Okuma is thus briefly sketched only to indicate what circumstances influenced him to turn from rude buffetings in politics to the congenial task of education. Had he been more successful in politics this, the "Fifty Years of New Japan," might never have seen the light.

This work, which may well be called monumental, is a pageant of scholars, publicists and statesmen, financiers and men of business, all prominent in the Mikado's realm, for the fifty-six chapters contained in the two large volumes were contributed by almost as many authorities, each dealing with one or two themes upon which he could speak with authority either from his painstaking investigations or from his personal experiences. In the words of Count Okuma, the book is a "living history written by living men." Its object is, on the one hand, the preservation of an authoritative account of the development of Japan during the half century that has elapsed since its opening to foreign intercourse, and on the other a wider diffusion both at home and abroad of accurate knowledge concerning the present condition of the empire. It is in consonance with the object that the book was published both in Japanese and in English. The Japanese edition, almost as voluminous as the translation, was issued two years ago, and is enjoying immense popularity in Japan. A certain significance may be read into the fact that the English edition is dedicated to the King of England, "whose influence with Japan has been most widespread and salutary." Would it be too hasty to take the few simple words of the dedication for an indication of Japan's national desire to continue the political arrangement which she entered into with the great maritime power of the West, first in 1902, and again in 1905?

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*FIFTY YEARS OF NEW JAPAN. Compiled by Count Okuma. English version edited by Marcus B. Huish. In two volumes. Vol. I., Pp. xl.-646. Vol. II., Pp. 618. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co. Price, $7.50 per set.

Among the themes treated in the book are foreign relations, the constitution, political parties, national defense, jurisprudence, and legal institutions, the police and prisons, local and municipal government, public finance, communications, economic development, language, religion, and philosophy, education, science, literature and the fine arts. While the primary object of the book is the faithful description of new Japan, yet, in the judgment of the editor, the rapid progress of the insular nation since the opening of its doors cannot be fully explained without constant reference to the history of the five-and-twenty centuries that preceded it. In so far, therefore, "as the work describes the characteristics of the people of Japan and the unfolding of their national destinies, this narrative of New Japan is also a concise and accurate résumé" of the history of the empire from the very beginning of its existence. It is therefore befitting that the book should begin with a chapter by Count Okuma setting forth in an admirable manner a summary of the history of Japan, and end with a concluding chapter also from the pen of the Count, wherein an attempt is made to show the spirit and ideals underlying the facts and events described in the preceding chapters. Besides these two chapters, Count Okuma contributes three articles entitled, respectively, "The Last of the Shoguns and His Views on the Restoration," "The History of Political Parties," and "Culture and Education in Old Japan."

Although there are distinct advantages in assigning different chapters to various writers, each thoroughly conversant with the subject he deals with, the shortcomings of such a method are by no means insignificant, and unless the editor unscrupulously employs the "blue pencil," the result is often disappointing. A book thus produced may be confused and unequal, or it may be burdened with overlapping and repetition. Without in the least deprecating the labor of its editor or its intrinsic value, we must, nevertheless, admit that the "Fifty Years of New Japan," especially its Japanese edition, shows some trace of such inevitable defects. Apart from the fact that each contributor wrote independently of the other upon subjects which in many instances have a common foundation, it also suffers from the fact that some of the authorities, though thoroughly at home with their themes, are not by nature and training scholars and writers, and seem ill at ease with the pen, their writings betraying the lack of system and terseness. Fortunately, in the translation much of this fault is eliminated, thanks to the assiduity of Mr. Marcus B. Huish, who carried the book through the English press. The English version, originally done in Japan, was the work of many scholars, some writing admirably, others in a manner which to the English reader must seem extraordinary.

After all has been said, it still remains true that the work is a worthy monument to a progress and advancement unique in the annals of the world. It would be alike burdensome and impracticable to set forth a résumé of a book dealing with so many subjects, each so treated in itself as to be self-contained. But the chapters contributed by Count Okuma deserve special attention, for they indicate what we may take as the raison d'être of the book. With eloquence and in glowing terms the veteran statesman describes what he considers to be the national characteristics, aspirations, and destinies of his country. To him the Japanese combines in his character the culture of the Athenian and the courage of the Spartan; he is not unlike the Greeks and Romans of yore in his idea of the State, considering it the height of glory to live and die for it; he is innocently fond of doing good to others, but he is at the same time possessed of an intense feeling of patriotism, and resents the slightest insult put upon the dignity of his country; he is singularly free from envy and jealousy, and possesses a refining power latent in his spiritual life, enabling him to receive foreign doctrines and institutions with little mutual conflict. The development of such enviable qualities is mainly attributable to the fact that the Japanese nation is the outcome of a harmonious commingling of various races. In remote antiquities

> immigrants into Japan, finding themselves in a settled family life, naturally lost any evil traits that they might previously have possessed, and regained their pristine goodness. They saw little need to quarrel, or to prohibit intermarriage among the races, and thus aborigines and immigrants freely and happily intermingled, and conversed over the hearth in a tongue that quickly became common among them. With the dividing walls thus insensibly removed, it is little wonder that the Japanese nation drew into its veins the blood of numerous tribes or that during long centuries of such assimilation, the clarifying process irresistibly went on. Impurities were expelled, and the purest characteristics of the component elements have been handed on. Of these characteristics, a prime one is bravery. * * * This quality may in part have been bequeathed from Mongolian forefathers, whose fortitude was exemplified in a later era by Genghis Khan, and whose innate cruelty and callous wickedness have been weeded out in Japan, while their chivalrous courage and patriotic valor have been greatly developed. So, too, the Malayan element has been divested of its treacherous ferocity, and has survived only in its adventurous spirit.

Accepting these conclusions for what they are worth, let us pass on to Japan's policies and aspirations. The Mikado's empire has no ambition for territorial aggrandizement; only she insists that civilization is not a monopoly of Western nations, but the heritage of Asiatic countries as well. If Japan fails to fulfill the duties prescribed by the position which she has gained from gradual assimilation of civilization, she shall be disloyal to that civilization which has influenced her so profoundly. The open door and equal opportunity being the basis of her policy, she has endeavored, and will endeavor, to carry the benefits of Western civilization through the action of these principles to her neighbors, China and Korea. She desires, by the co-operation of her Anglo-Saxon friends to engage in the glorious humanitarian work of civilizing the two Oriental nations now deeply sunk in misery. And here it is interesting to note Count Okuma's allusion to the Japanese question in America. He asserts that Japan is deservedly determined to be recognized by the world as a great nation, and sees an affront to that aspiration in the act of a certain Western nation to discriminate against her subjects. He says:

> I do not in any way sympathize with the idea that by sending abroad emigrants who become a cause of domestic trouble in the country of their destination, the rights or honor of a great and civilized power such as ours claims to be will be served. But I contend that, when a treaty power seeks to enact a law restricting the immigration of our laborers, the terms of such restriction should be analogous, and even identical, with those applicable to the peoples of other great powers or civilized countries.

While sanguine as to the innate greatness of the Japanese nation, Count Okuma is not oblivious to the defects and blemishes which need to be removed if it is to climb still higher on the steps of civilization. After pointing out some of the most glaring of such shortcomings, the Count summarizes the present situation in Japan in these florid terms:

"Japan at present may be likened to a sea into which a hundred currents of Oriental and Occidental thoughts—some only conceived, others partially or wholly executed, during the past century or more—have poured in and not having yet effected a fusion, are raging wildly, tossing, warring, and roaring."

SOCIAL ENGLAND OF BYGONE DAYS

A Study of the Effects of Economic Conditions in the Fifteenth Century, by Mr. A. Abram.

THIS entertaining little book* is a University of London thesis. The author is a Cambridge man and a student of economics. He has examined documents in the British Public Record office for his study of the effects of industrial and commercial development on the social life in England in the fifteenth century as diligently as Prof. Wallace has studied them for information relating to Shakespeare. He has found good material in reports of early chancery proceedings and in court rolls. He considers his chosen century a most critical period in English history, not because of its famous civil wars and its contests with France and the martial glory that belongs to it, but because it was an era of genuine industrial development.

The merchant and the artisan then began to feel their importance. New ideas were introduced in social life. In the fourteenth century the production of wool was England's greatest industry. A century later the making of cloth was the most profitable occupation of the people. While they learned to make cloth they also learned to protest against the overtaxation of cloth. The English soon made good cloth. They could compete with the Florentines. The worsted weavers turned out vervise, carsey, broadcloth, drap de cremosyn, fustian, serge, mustrevalers, and many other woolen fabrics, coarse and fine. New laws were enacted governing the clothmaking industry. By the middle of the century silk was made in England in such large quantities that protests were made against its importation. Lace, gloves, hats, cutlery, and candlesticks were also largely manufactured. Coal was mined in large quantities. Salt was manufactured and the brewers began to be moneymakers. Dutch and German beers were frowned upon. Brickmaking was learned from Holland, and in the first Tudor reign the British gunmaker became a person of importance.

England had long built its own little ships, but the industry of big ship building now grew enormously. The first dry dock was constructed in Portsmouth in 1495. The employment of foreign shipbuilders was discountenanced. Linen mills, bell foundries, carpet and tapestry manufactories were established in many towns. The guilds of workmen came into existence; labor was highly specialized. The bread bakers were not permitted to make pies. Three crafts were employed in making a knife. A sheather could not make a blade, nor could a cutler, who made only the handle and fitted the parts together. The strike soon came into existence.

Travel was accomplished on foot or horseback, the roads were very bad; carts were common, but carriages and chariots very rare. The law in the first quarter of the fourteenth century was that every man must make and repair the road in front of his house. By the middle of the century the authorities hired roadmakers and taxed the people for the cost of their work. But travel by water was easy and inexpensive. The great industrial fairs of London and other towns were established. In the agricultural districts there was a similar awakening. There was a complaint, however, that so much sheep raising prevented the tilling of the soil. Naturally the merchant thrived. He sold English manufactures in Holland, France, and Flanders. The English merchant vessels carried goods to many ports as early as 1449. There was a profitable trade with Scandinavia and Iceland. Henry VI. seems to have been the first monarch to realize the importance of English industry and commerce. The merchant and manufacturer were greatly encouraged by Edward IV. and the much-slandered Richard III., who established the art of printing in England. There was an eager demand for books even before Caxton's day, when the manuscript volumes were few and very costly. With the introduction of printing books in the English language began to appear. There were high duties on all importations except books. The people were learning to read.

With the growth of industry social changes were inevitable. Money assumed a new value. Great nobles and priests engaged in commerce. Royal personages sought special commercial privileges. Material comforts were now prized, and the peasant found new avenues to wealth and distinction. His small chance for individual development had previously been confined to the Church and the army. Sumptuary laws prescribing a certain dress for each class of society became dead letters. It was said by foreigners that the English worshipped money above all things else. The death knell of feudalism was sounded. Yet it died hard. It is not yet quite extinct.

The table of the common folks improved wonderfully. Thirty or forty varieties of fish were in the markets. Spices and French and Spanish wines were plentiful. A whole lamb cost a shilling and a penny, a shoulder and breast of mutton 5d. Gascon wine was 8d. a gallon. Wheat was 8d. a bushel, a capon 8d.; two soles could be bought for 5d., and two haddocks for 4d. Shoes for the footmen of King Henry VII. cost 6d. a pair. A horse could be hired fifteen days for 6s. and 8d., but the hirer had to feed the horse. Wages were correspondingly low, of course, while royalty wore cloth of gold costing $45 a yard. It cost the Queen, however, only 4s. to have a "gowne of tauny saten" made.

It is a curious study, based on a multitude of scraps of information, on Latin entries and scrawls of old English, of the awakening of the English people a century and more before the Renaissance and the golden age of English poetry. It was the earliest dawn of material progress in England. The people had been serfs. Warriors and priests had ruled them. Now they were preparing, blindly, blunderingly, to rule themselves. A struggle was beginning which was to last for centuries. Mr. Abram's book is therefore a valuable contribution to the study of English social history. It comprehends the rise of commerce, the self-assertion of the middle classes, the breaking down of ancient traditions, the earliest development of labor problems. It is handy for reference, and includes a valuable list of authorities.

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*SOCIAL ENGLAND IN THE FIFTEENTH CENTURY. A Study of the Effects of Economic Conditions. By A. Abram. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co. $1.

A MYSTERY UNRAVELED.

A DETECTIVE story that carries a new sort of interest and is not lacking in freshness of charm is the achievement which Roman Doubleday can lay to his credit in "The Red House on Rowan Street," (Little, Brown & Co., $1.50.) This effect of freshness is due partly to the lively manner of treatment, and partly to the unconventional way in which the theme is unfolded. There are also touches of humor and apt characterizations—as when the author says of a pompous man that his progress down the street "had all the effect of a procession"—that add greatly to the reader's entertainment. One must not be too captious about some of its incidents—the very presence in the mystery-beridden town of the man, who clears up all the trouble strains credulity at the start, unless one defers for the reading of a different sort of novel the desire to have its events even up with the probabilities of life. The hero of the tale no sooner steps foot in the place than he finds himself plunged into the mystery that envelops the family of one of its leading residents. For years either the head of the family or his son has been popularly supposed to be responsible for a long series of misdeeds, sometimes criminal, and always impish. The mystery, the suspicion, and the consequent alienation in which the family has lived have strongly developed their separate characters in different ways, and this is brought out in bold outlines. The stranger hero sets himself to work to clear the family's honor, and many curious and startling things happen before he finally succeeds, with a result so cleverly hidden until the last that it is likely to surprise even the well-seasoned novel reader. But the way in which the revelation is handled is so clumsy as to be a disappointment after the previous deftness and ease of style.

Soldier, Pioneer, and Author.

The death in his eighty-second year is announced from Frankfort of the author and journalist, Franz Rittweger. His was an adventurous youth. He fought in the Schleswig-Holstein campaign of 1848, lived in the backwoods of America for a time, and then edited a paper in this city. Returning to Frankfort, he served on the Frankfurter Zeitung, and other papers, and wrote several historical works.

THE LAST PHASE OF BYRON'S LIFE

Closing Incidents of the Poet's Life, with Reference to His Domestic Affairs, in a New Volume.

THE passing of the years does not seem to take away from that fascination and glamour which surrounded the life of Byron. His personality still exerts a curious attrait, and, as is always the case with such personalities, the enmities, scandals, and feuds which agitated his contemporaries continue with almost unabated energy to agitate posterity—pro or con. Mr. Edgcumbe's book,* with its somewhat reminiscent title, is an interesting, though not wholly convincing, attempt at refutation of the late Lord Lovelace's "Astarte."

The first part of the present work enters into the details of Byron's sojourn in Greece and his death. It is derived from well-known accounts and contains practically no new material. It has, however, the advantage of presenting "records made on the spot by men whose works are now, for the most part, out of print," and should be, therefore, a convenient reference book for those who have not ready access to the original accounts.

The major part of the volume is devoted to a discussion of the unhappy circumstances surrounding Byron's separation from his wife. Mr. Edgcumbe remarks:

> Unfortunately, the late Lord Lovelace, in giving his sanction to the baseless and forgotten slanders of a bygone age, has recently assailed the memory of Byron's half sister and has set a mark of infamy upon her which cannot be erased without referring to matters which ought never to have been mentioned.

The crux of Mr. Edgcumbe's defense of Mrs. Leigh lies in the assertion that not only was she not guilty of the crime of which she was accused but that she was actually a willing sacrifice on the altar of friendship and sisterly devotion. He contends that her actions, enigmatic as they have seemed, were directed to one end—the deception of Lady Byron, in order to shield Mary Chaworth, the one love of the poet's life. If Mr. Edgcumbe's contention is true then Mrs. Leigh appears in a new light—her sacrifice, however ill-advised, was chivalrous.

However, our author is not wholly consistent. If Mrs. Leigh were possessed of the brave fortitude and noble, if mistaken, spirit with which he endows her it is strange that he should accept Lord Lovelace's descriptions of her whenever such quotations seem to prove that certain poems could not have been addressed to her. For instance: "There was apparently an absence of all deep feeling in her mind, of anything on which a strong impression could be made." It is scarcely necessary to go into the details by which Mr. Edgcumbe contradicts himself; he is so extremely partisan that he succeeds in being convincing on only one point—his earnest endeavor to prove the validity of his own explanation of the affair.

In his chapters on "What the Poems Reveal," he does not, perhaps, make sufficient allowance for the Thespian qualities of the poet. It is frequently a mistake to read a poem literally for the facts of the poet's life. Byron's faults loom very large, but after all the man is dead; his poetry lives. Every artist, in whatever field he may labor, knows—and those who are not artists would do well to remember—that the actual occurrences of life are seldom or never transferred unaltered to the realm of art; they are merely the starting point, the nucleus about which are gathered impressions and emotions which may have been entirely unrelated to the stimulus which seems so obvious to the too discerning critic.

UNDER THE PINES.

A woman dead alone in a deserted country clubhouse, her betrothed going unexpectedly there at midnight and seeing her younger sister leave it, finding her strangled in an upper room, to be himself discovered by the police as he stands beside her and feels of her throat—that is the scene which Anna Katherine Green sets in the opening chapter of her new novel, "The House of the Whispering Pines," (G. P. Putnam's Sons, $1.50.) And then, of course, she leads the reader on with all her usual skill as clue after clue develops, pointing first at one and then at another character as the guilty person. And all the time the young man, who is first arrested, endeavors to shield the young sister, whom he loves and has endeavored to persuade to elope with him, from the discovery of what he believes to be her guilt. Anna Katherine Green is a master hand at the weaving of spiderweb plots of mystification, the piling up of small bits of evidence that will seem to implicate the innocent, but finally will be made to fit, plain and damning, into the scheme whereby the guilty one is brought to justice. Doubtless that is quite enough to expect of a writer who does not pretend to do anything else.

"WHITE MAGIC."

DAVID GRAHAM PHILLIPS some time ago rediscovered the civilizing value of cleanliness and made soap and water the keynote of a romance which changed an old wife—who had been a young sweetheart—for a beautifully manicured milliner. He has now in his latest fiction "White Magic," (D. Appleton & Co.,) invaded the realm of that high society which figures in the Sunday newspapers and the amusing burlesque fantasies of Robert W. Chambers.

The hero of Mr. Phillips's new book is the original tall matinée idol snatched straight out of a rattling Zenda melodrama. Richard Harding Davis has fitted melodramatic inventions around this figure time without number, and Charles Dana Gibson has made him famous on two continents in every possible attitude of noble, well-groomed manliness. The difference is that Mr. Phillips takes his matinée idol seriously—as seriously as the matinée girl herself could possibly take him. It was the same way with the soap and water.

As a result, for the reader who is at all sophisticated—and what reader is not in this day?—he spoils a most promising plot. For there is no denying that the idea is excellent.

Here is an American painter, educated in Paris, who comes home, sets up his easel in a shack in the woods, and makes his art his sole mistress. One day in a storm of rain a pretty girl takes refuge in the shack. The painter finds her there asleep before his fire, (dainty and touching picture!) and although he behaves exactly like a matinée idol and not in the least like a man the very next morning—or the next—the same pretty girl in a pretty canoe shoots around a bend in the stream beside which he is painting dappled sunlight effects.

The figure she makes bending to her paddle is just what the dappled sunlit nook lacked to make it art instead of nature. What more obvious than that the girl should keep on coming every day to pose and talk to the painter afterward? What more piquant than that she should resolve to marry him and plumply tell him so, smiling incredulously at his solemn professions of utter devotion to Art and brushing aside as preposterous his repeated and emphatic statements that he does not want to marry, will not marry, and is not in the least in love with herself?

The conclusion, of course, is foredoomed. The girl is the daughter of the most eminent financial pirate of the hour and not less piratic in instinct than her parent. The necessary complications grow, in fact, not out of the young man's firmness, but out of the inevitable social aspirations of Mr. and Mrs. Pirate, who have already married one daughter to an Earl. The matinée idol is no match at all for Miss Pirate.

It is in the use of the admirable possibilities of this situation that the limitations of the author in the matter of humor and taste appear. Miss Pirate, disguised as woodsprite or in her proper character as minx, says all the startling things that the topsy-turvy situation demands; the matinée idol falls into her traps or counters her moves according to cue. But the dialogue does not flow artlessly like the brook. It betrays the mechanic throb of the pump.

There are times in the course of the narrative when Mr. Phillips wins your entire approval by a stroke which shows that he has an observing eye; his sense of dramatic effects is good, as usual, and there is less of that deliberate coarseness which he is in the habit of using to create the impression of "strength." Nevertheless the frightful crudeness of the author's outlook upon civilization and society crops out painfully. Comments, scenes, bits of colloquy, more than a few, reveal a complacent self-consciousness which belongs to the cultural plane of the serious girl graduate. Curiously one is more likely to find that kind of thing in male authors in America than in female authors. But American women take on the cosmopolitan culture with notorious facility.

Having said all that he has said, the reviewer may as well wind up by admitting that in spite of these faults—or because of them—most readers of fiction will find "White Magic" not a bad story.

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*BYRON: THE LAST PHASE. By Richard Edgcumbe. 1 vol. Pp. xi.—421. Cloth. 8vo. Index. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. 1909. $3 net.

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Mr. Griffith, Secretary of the Prison Reform League, Writes Instructively of Prisons and Prison Abuses.

A POWERFUL and convincing plea for prison reform is made in a little book entitled "Crime and Criminals," published at Los Angeles, Cal., by the Prison Reform League, having its headquarters in that city. The book, we judge, is for the most part the work of Griffith J. Griffith, Secretary and Treasurer of the league, who writes with an exceptional understanding of his subject, inasmuch as, in addition to the knowledge that is within the reach of the ordinary person who cares to investigate prison management and discipline, he has that somewhat exclusive and, for his present purpose, distinctly desirable knowledge of those matters which only convicts may obtain.

Mr. Griffith not long ago spent two years as the inmate of the State prison at San Quentin, Cal. He was sent there upon conviction of an assault with a deadly weapon; but it should be remarked in passing that he insisted, at the time of his trial, and still insists, that the affair upon which his conviction was based was purely accidental.

Mr. Griffith's contention—and, indeed, that of the entire book—is that the criminologists of the old school are grievously wrong in making their prisons earthly hells to the inmates. Against the old doctrine that the proper thing for a prison warden to do is to make his convicts miserable and keep them miserable is placed the modern idea that everything possible should be done by those who have charge of prisoners to improve them mentally, morally, and physically, and that no brutal punishments should be inflicted, nor any unnecessary punishments of any sort.

The prison of the old style, it is contended, graduates worse men than it takes in, while the prison managed according to the modern scientific and humane plan makes many a bad man into a good one.

In order that those of us who have not been convicts and have not made our own investigations with respect to alleged prison abuses and mismanagement may be in position to judge intelligently between the old-style prison and the new, a mass of undoubtedly authoritative information is presented—some of it first hand, like Mr. Griffith's graphic and intensely interesting account of his two years at San Quentin; the rest of it obtained from what seem to be reliable sources. No one who examines this evidence with care and with open mind will fail to come to the conclusion that horrible and unnecessary cruelties have been practiced in our American prisons; that fiendish methods and appliances have been invented and used by brutal wardens and guards in disciplining prisoners and in gratifying malice, and that society has not gained, but suffered, through these inhumanities.

Another unavoidable conclusion will be that wherever kindness has displaced brutality in the management of a prison, and intelligent officials have striven to uplift their convicts, the results have been extremely encouraging to those who want prisons to be reformatories and not merely places of confinement.

When reformers speak of prison atrocities, they are apt to mention as among the most revolting of which they have knowledge instances in which the straitjacket has had a part. Mr. Griffith gives the details of several instances of that sort in his story of his imprisonment. One of the cases he mentions is that of a man who suffered greatly from the bean diet for which the prison in his day was noted, and often was compelled to lie down after eating. The warden was persuaded the man was an opium eater, and demanded that he tell where he got his opium. The man replied that he never had tasted opium and did not even know what opium looked like.

"Lace the —— in the jacket tight, and keep him there till he tells," the warden instructed his minions.

The man was kept in the jacket 140 hours, according to Mr. Griffith, and was taken out of it a cripple for life.

Even more shocking is an instance of torture mentioned in the report of a committee of the Illinois House of Representatives which last year investigated the State Reformatory at Pontiac. The case referred to is that of William Hamlin, a boy of 19, who was trussed up in solitary confinement in order to "break his will." At the end of thirty-eight hours, during which he had had only two hours of respite, he was taken down, with his back broken in two places, and he died within a few days of his injuries.

"He wouldn't give in," said the warden on the witness stand, "and it is our practice to break a prisoner in the solitary—to break his will." Naturally one wonders how many others in the Pontiac Reformatory and in other American prisons have lost their lives while having their wills broken.

The Prison Reform League would do away with the straitjacket, the lash and the paddle, the water cure, the electric "humming bird," and all the other instruments and methods of torture which brutal prison officials have devised for the punishment of convicts. It stands for probation, parole, and the indeterminate sentence, and the treatment of convicts, while they are in prison, with the greatest possible kindness consistent with discipline and the proper administration of justice.

To all its recommendations, except the one which calls for the abolition of the death penalty, it is easy to give approval; as to that the very least that may be said in opposition to the league's view is that at the present moment the prevailing judgment in America is that the world has no use whatever for the murderer.

"THE PROFESSIONAL AUNT."

MRS. MARY C. E. WEMYSS, author of "The Professional Aunt," (Houghton Mifflin Company, $1.) was born the tenth of fourteen children, and so is a professional aunt not only with her lips but in her life. She writes, therefore, out of her own experience, with the result of a bright little book, whose babies are all the more interesting because they are English.

The story is not given over to babies only. There are sisters-in-law, country cousins, a dear old family nurse of the kind almost as extinct as the dodo, and a young man or two, especially one who changes the profession of aunthood from a vocation to an avocation. The children are very human and funny, and occasionally terrible, after the manner of all the delightful tribe. The record of their doings and sayings and those of the grown-ups as well is replete with humor, and is written in charming fashion.

A welcome glint of sunshine is the little tale after the woes and problems with which so much modern fiction is drenched.

A GIRL REFORMER.

The anti-child-labor movement does not seem a promising source for romance, but Marshall Saunders has woven out of it a story entitled "The Girl from Vermont," (The Griffith & Rowland Press, Philadelphia.) The author, who is known in private life as Margaret Marshall Saunders, has already established her reputation by a long list of previous books, many of them dealing with the treatment of children or of animals. Two of these stories won prizes offered by the American Humane Education Society. The scene of this present novel is laid in a manufacturing town where many children are employed, and its heroine is a pretty and vivacious but very earnest young woman who for the love of doing good work follows the profession of an organiser of children's playgrounds and vacation schools. After the most approved canons of romance she wins the heart of the wealthiest manufacturer of the town and works a reformation in his ideas and business methods. As it was evidently the aim of the author to preach her cause rather than to write fiction, perhaps it is as a preacher rather than as a novel that her book should be classified. Nevertheless, it is her due to say that, hopelessly as the book limps as fiction, it does evince much cleverness in its use of conversation and some ingenuity in its weaving together of incident. And the author is deeply in earnest about the cause.

"ACCORDING TO MARIA."

MRS. JOHN LANE has the gift of of gifts, humor. Her new book, "According to Maria," (The John Lane Company, $1.50,) radiates it from every page—the lambent, diffusive kind, as pervasive as atmosphere.

Maria is a social climber, who has far to climb. She is sadly handicapped by a husband in trade, the retail trade at that, whose "middle-class soul" is hopelessly out of harmony with her own, and by a daughter who altogether fails to respond to her mother's ambitions for her, especially the supreme ambition of seeing "the announcement in 'The Morning Post' that a marriage had been arranged between Diana and anything with a title."

In spite of all this, poor Maria bravely mounts the social ladder, and her failures and successes, with the Marian philosophy of life therefrom resulting, are set forth for the unspeakable delectation of us who read by the friend of her childhood, Margery Brown.

Why Margery put up with Maria's snubs and slights—all the worse for being so unconsciously delivered; why she endured Maria's egotistic monologue, and the frank revelation of her selfish schemings, is at first rather puzzling; but the reader soon grasps the interpretation. First Maria is perfect of her kind, and any perfection has a fascination of its own; also, she has no ray nor scintilla of the humor with which Margery is iridescent, and nothing so appeals to a person with a sense of humor as one who has none—witness certain marriages we all wot of. So Margery lends a glad ear to the details of Maria's artless meannesses, and writes them all down with a twinkling eye and a tolerant smile. She loves Maria as Mr. Bennett loved Mr. Collins, for her exquisite absurdity. Moreover, such is Mrs. Lane's delicate art, we are made to feel, as we are sure Margery felt, that Maria, after all, is sound at the core, and we heartily congratulate her when she "arrives" by a most unexpected route.

As for her talk, she is as inconsequent and as dear as Mrs Nickleby, and almost equally do we hug her sayings to our hearts.

Could anything be more delightful than her characterization of Bacon as "the man who thought he wrote Shakespeare"? Or her observation of criticism in general, that "if you don't know, it is always safe to say that a thing is horrid." But it is not wise to begin to quote from a book replete with tempting bits.

To view life "according to Maria" is to find new zest therein. If we are not quite comfortable afterward it is because we have been made vaguely aware of the Marianess that is in us all; and even as we laugh we wince just a little and try to extract from our consciences certain "long, thin, pointed things" Mrs. Lane has subtly lodged therein.

For Maria's absurdities are the absurdities of humanity. Perhaps no real woman ever held quite so many in her own person, just as nobody ever measured up to the opulent personalities of Dickens; but few are the women who may not find in her quite startlingly true bits of themselves, while her whimsical analysis of the methods and standards of the society which she is straining every nerve to enter is the cleverest possible satire upon it. And always the "Tu quoque," like the slights to Margery, comes home the more surely for its innocence of intent.

It is an original, sparkling book from the pen of a kindly as well as a keen critic of life. Some one has said that Thackeray could not have painted a snob so well unless he had loved him. Mrs. Lane has been mindful of Izaak Walton's exhortation in regard to the frog, and has impaled her Maria as though she loved her, so making her far more effective than if she had slain her with denunciation. It is needless to add that Mrs. Lane's workmanship possesses her hall marks—lightness of touch and distinction of style.

ON THE BORDERLAND.

The Marquise Clara Lanza, author of a number of novels, has told the story in "The Dweller on the Borderland" (John Joseph McVey, Philadelphia, $1.50,) of the conversion to Catholicism of a brilliant young American. Her hero comes to New York with his young wife, a commonplace, peevish, slatternly girl, hoping to make his way in intellectual pursuits. He first secures a position as tutor to a lad in a wealthy family and presently he and the boy's young aunt fall in love with each other. She is a Catholic and he, after his wife dies suddenly, enters that church and becomes a priest. The book contains some rather vivid glimpses of middle class and bohemian life in New York, and several of the characters, especially the flighty country-girl wife and the old-maid sister, who has devoted her life to her actor brother, stand out with boldness of outline.

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IN imparting to others, lucidly, and in many interesting chapters, the information he has acquired by long study and acute observation as to how plays are made, Prof. Matthews does not hope to teach folks how to make plays.* This sounds paradoxical, but it is probably good common sense. Surely you cannot teach a man to play the violin by telling him how the violin is played. One of our most strenuous and earnest writers on the construction of plays and the technique of the drama, Mr. W. T. Price, insists that no dramatist can depend on the possession of an inherent gift for playwriting. He must learn the rules, and anybody can learn them with diligent application, and, having learned them, can make a play. Whether or not the play thus made will be worth the labor depends, we suppose, on the inborn gift.

But Prof. Matthews has not written to encourage or inspire budding dramatists. He believes that "the fundamental principles of the drama are the same throughout the ages, and that they can be discovered as well in the plays of Sophocles as in the plays of Shakespeare, as well in the plays of Molière as in the plays of Ibsen." His new collected essays are all based on this thesis. There are a baker's dozen of them, all previously published in various periodicals, and now revised and expanded. They treat of the influence of actors, the law of the drama, traditions and conventions, the rules of dramatic characterization, the "logic of construction," the poetic drama, the unities. In an appendix there are "suggestions for study" and a bibliography. There are pictures and diagrams illustrating the construction of ancient and modern theatres.

The structural framework of plays is considered rather than any psychology or philosophy they may contain. Prof. Matthews writes particularly about the making of the drama, not the writing of poetry. The scope of his book comprehends the entire history of the drama from Thespis to Belasco and Clyde Fitch. The stage of Greece and Rome, the mediaeval stage with its mysteries and miracle plays, the Spanish drama, the rise of the French theatre, the forerunners of the Elizabethans, the school of Marlowe and Shakespeare, the Restoration stage, the eighteenth century drama, the theatre of Italy, Germany, and Scandinavia, the contemporary American drama, are all considered dispassionately and with the unfailing buoyancy of manner which Prof. Matthews never loses when he writes of the theatre.

The book always interests, once or twice it amazes. Matthews dates the death of the unities at the time of the rise of Victor Hugo. They were, presumably, never buried. Of course the Elizabethans ignored them, but that is another story. "After Hernani had blown his trumpet and the hollow walls of classicism had fallen with a crash, the doctrine of the three unities was finally disestablished." In our own time, he declares, no playwright ever gives a thought to the preservation of the unities. Yet he admits that Dumas fils, Ibsen, and others frequently confine the action of a play to a single day and a single place. But he infers that Dumas and Ibsen would have been not a little surprised if told that in "Francillon" and "Ghosts" they had preserved the unities. This reminds us of an anecdote, trivial, perhaps, but relevant. A small boy assigned to speak a piece at a school reception was decked out by his mother with a huge lavender necktie and lavender gloves. After he had spoken his speech none of his schoolmates referred to the incident out of pure courtesy, but a few days later one of the other boys was impelled by curiosity to break through the restraint, as follows: "Say, did you notice how exactly your gloves matched your necktie?"

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*A STUDY OF THE DRAMA. By Brander Matthews, Professor of Dramatic Literature in Columbia University. Boston: Houghton Mifflin Company. $1.50 net.

"CHRONICLES OF OLDFIELDS."

Thomas N. Allen is a resident of the State of Washington, who, for the writing of this quaint book, has gone back to the memories of his youth in a Kentucky town in the days "before the war." He has given to his "chronicles" the semblance of a sketchy, biographic sort of fiction and describes the prominent characters of the sleepy, dignified little town and some of the exciting incidents in its history as if he had himself lived and died as the schoolmaster of the place. One finds in the pages of the book, which he calls "Chronicles of Oldfields," (The Alice Harriman Company, Seattle, $1.50,) much knowledge of human nature, a serene, pleasant philosophy of life, and many flashes of humor. In his preface the author says of the series of sketches: "They are the recollections of an old man and I, in my seventieth year, dedicate them to the old men of the country."

AN INTERRUPTED FRIENDSHIP.

FEW novels begin better than "An Interrupted Friendship," by E. L. Voynich, (The Macmillan Company, $1.50.) It opens with the death of a gentle Marquise in rural Burgundy, leaving a husband, who is a middle-aged Egyptologist, two half-grown boys, and a baby girl. The Marquis is poor; what to do with his children is a problem. Finally he decides to send Henri, the elder, to a Cistercian college, to accept for René the offer of a brother in England to take him into his family and to send him to school with his own boys, and to place his little girl with the sister of her mother, raising the money by rigorous self-denial and by selling part of his impoverished estate.

The differentiation of character caused by these varying environments is an interesting study, which the author successfully develops. She strikes her first false note, however, in representing on the part of two of the children a life-long animosity against their father because of his disposition of them in their childhood, an animosity the more unreasonable since the old Marquis had not only effaced himself that he might provide for them, but is portrayed as a father who makes no demands, who silently longs for their affection, and who bears himself always with courtesy, gentleness, consideration—by far the most admirable character in the story.

However, the first pages are full of promise. René returns after eight years in England to all intents a hearty English boy. He finds Marguerite a cripple from an accident in her infancy. The two form an alliance, offensive and defensive, against those who most love and cherish the bedridden child. René discovers there is hope of her cure, and joins an expedition to explore the tributaries of the Upper Amazon that he may have money for the long and costly treatment necessary.

With the introduction of the party of explorers, painful stories begin. Three-fourths of the book is filled with the tragedies of sin and shame, with anguish, physical and mental; with baffling mysteries and useless misunderstandings, and a final cruel crumbling of a friendship which should have had faith to rise above its apparent betrayal—at least to seek an explanation. There is a hint of a death by fiendish torture, of a character in whom readers of the author's former book will recognize the prototype of the Gadfly. Picked up by the exploring party in the wilds of South America, where among other things he has acted as a circus clown, Felix enters into the later narrative and exerts a lasting influence upon the lives of the brother and sister.

Marguerite in the end utterly fails the brother whose life has been one long act of devotion to her; the Gadfly far less appealing than when first we made his acquaintance thirteen years ago, goes off to his fate, and we leave René alone among the ruins of his world.

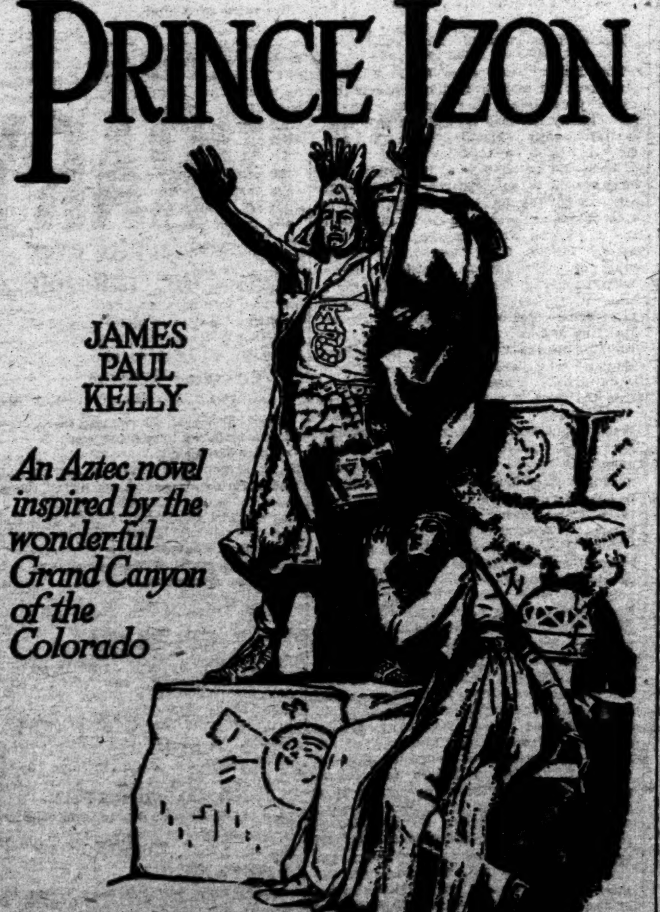
The book is written with only too much vigor for the reader's peace of mind, but it is unequal and disappointing; particularly is this true in the author's attempt to link this work more by suggestion than otherwise with her masterpiece, "The Gadfly." To one unfamiliar with the former story much of "An Interrupted Friendship" must remain incomprehensible.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN.

WE have now a new publication, in large handsome type, of the unmutilated and correct version of "The Autobiography of Benjamin Franklin," which reproduces the manuscript obtained in Paris in 1867 by John Bigelow, (G. P. Putnam's Sons, $1.50.) It is printed in the text prepared by Mr. Bigelow for the Collected Edition of Franklin's Works, which was published in 1879, and it is accompanied by Mr. Bigelow's very interesting account of his discovery and purchase of the manuscript.

According to Mr. Bigelow most of the versions of Franklin's autobiography are reprints of a translation from the French language, in which it was first presented to the world. No publication of the work as it was written was ever made, we are told, until the manuscript found in Paris was put into type. The edition published in 1818, under the nominal editorship of Franklin's grandson and purporting to be a reproduction of the original manuscript, Mr. Bigelow declares was set up from a copy of that manuscript, incomplete and "mutilated to suit the taste of the time in England, and, it is presumed, the personal exigencies of the editor." In support of this declaration it is pointed out that over 1,200 alterations from the original text appear in the 1818 edition, and that it entirely leaves out some of the later pages.

It may be interesting to recall the fact that for the Franklin autobiography a collection of Franklin letters and a portrait of Franklin, all of which came to him in one lot, Mr. Bigelow paid their owner 25,000 francs.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TWO TYPES.

At the opening of Congress in 1851 Charles Sumner took his seat in the Senate on the day that Henry Clay "tottered from the Senate for the last time." It is a curious coincidence that the lives of these two statesmen appear almost simultaneously in "The American Crisis Biographies," (George W. Jacobs & Co., Philadelphia.) Clay has been called "compromise incarnate," Sumner "conscience incarnate," and it would be easy enough to present them in these contrasted rôles. But it would be essentially unfair to Clay and misleading. No one, we think, can rise from the reading of this life of Clay, mainly by his grandson, or this life of Sumner by Prof. Haynes without feeling that the two great and powerful leaders were varying types of American citizenship with widely differing views of the duties of their time, but each faithful to duty and each entitled to the admiration and gratitude of his countrymen.

Certainly there was striking contrast in the birth, training, associations, and aspirations of the two men. "From my father," exclaimed Clay, when bitterly attacked by John Randolph, "I inherited only infancy, ignorance, and indigence." With little schooling and no learning he early became a country lawyer and a stump speaker, was Speaker of the Kentucky Legislature at [illegible], United States Senator before he was 30, and spent nearly fifty years in practically unbroken public service. His native gifts as an orator were very great, and he trained himself in them with patience, diligence, study, and rare intelligence. He was a born leader, and from his earliest entrance on political life he was a shrewd, eager, resourceful politician, with great and unconcealed ambition to become President of the United States.

Sumner, on the other hand, though not born to wealth, had the advantage of the best schooling of his day at Harvard and in his profession, years of European travel and intercourse with the leading men of his own and other countries. He was a learned man at 30, and a student all his life. He had oratorical gifts very different from those of Clay and inferior but not less distinctive and extremely effective. He was not without skill as a politician, but politics with him was a means to an end, and the end never included personal ambition. He had a moral aim, firmly held, pursued with ardor, courage, and devotion, and though he was in some way preposterously egotistic, he was unselfish, and, despite his strenuous struggles and his tedious and poignant suffering, he was singularly far from animosity or resentment.

Both men had a keen appreciation of constructive statesmanship, and rendered service in that line which was overshadowed by their achievement in other lines. Each at periods of great confusion in the public mind labored for sound financial principles; each influenced the foreign policy of the country greatly, and, on the whole, beneficially, though each at times was extravagant in the pretensions asserted. Each, curiously enough, had a life and death quarrel with a President—Clay with Jackson, Sumner with Johnson—in which Clay went down in defeat and Sumner won.

The radical difference in the specific work of the two men grew out of their view of slavery. Both were profoundly devoted to the Union and regarded it as the one hope of freedom in our own land and in the world. Both knew that slavery and the political and economic system that sprang from it were a peril to the Union. Clay thought to save the Union by measures of compromise and delay that would give time for the gradual elimination of hostile elements. Sumner was determined to defy and contest the hostile elements at every point and by every instrumentality that offered. It was largely a difference of temper. Clay was a pacificator by nature and by training. He was intensely social. He lived by intercourse with his fellow-men. He thought in terms of association, co-operation, combination, and though he eagerly sought and easily achieved leadership, it was leadership of a party, not primacy in a cause, to which he aspired. Sumner was of a solitary, brooding, absorbed mood. He reached his conclusions by and for himself, framed them in his own manner, launched them on his own responsibility, and fought for them, single handed or in company with others as might be, but as readily and stubbornly the former as the latter.

It is possible, looking back from the present, to trace the influence of both men toward a common end. Clay's "great compromises" in 1820, 1833, 1850, may be held to have kept the slave States in the Union until, when the probably inevitable struggle came, the free States were equal to the achievement of victory. Sumner's energetic and uncompromising advocacy of the principle that freedom was National and slavery sectional; that the Constitution was the citadel of freedom and not the refuge of slavery, and that unyielding opposition to the extension of slavery, with its steady restriction at every available point, was not only sanctioned by the Constitution but demanded, undoubtly did much to solidify the North in a purely political and Constitutional struggle with slavery. That, we think, was his greatest contribution to the country, and it was very great. It is fair to recall that it might have been in vain but for the peculiar work done by Mr. Clay.

English Clubs.

A list of "English Clubs in All Parts of the World," which has just been published in England, gives the names and addresses of 8,180 clubs for men and 313 for women.

A Thackeray Centenary.

The centenary of Thackeray's birth occurs on July 18 next year. The Titmarsh Club of London has already appointed a committee to consider the most desirable way of honoring the occasion.

DRIFT OF LONDON LITERARY GOSSIP

Mr. Frederic Harrison's Memories —Walt Whitman in England —"England and the English."

LONDON, March 16.—I hear from Frederic Harrison that he is just going on a long journey to Turkey, Greece, and Italy. He has been writing his memories—a full, set, autobiography, which will run into a couple of volumes—and, having finished that task, he is taking this holiday. The fact shows how vigorous he is at seventy and more, and suggests how freshly we shall find his reminiscences to be written. In particular they are certain to contain much about two great friends and great contemporary figures of Mr. Harrison—that is to say, Lord Morley and George Meredith. The three were comrades in the days of their youth, and those were the goodly literary days of what we are already calling the Victorian epoch—its midsummer, when Tennyson and Browning and Swinburne were singing and Thomas Carlyle himself was still receiving visitors at Chelsea Embankment. Meredith has left no autobiography, and Lord Morley is not likely to write one, so Frederic Harrison's will have a quite particular value.

Naturally there will be something in its pages about his American friends, and very likely about Whitman. This leads me to report what several London booksellers tell me, that the rugged and admirable Walt grows notably in favor with English buyers of poetry. "Got a Whitman in a handy form?" they say, and then they pocket the volume and go their way. The country and nature have, in recent times, become more to the city middle classes in England than once was the case. They have always, from time immemorial, "gone to the country" for their yearly holiday. But the ease with which it is possible nowadays to get about has opened up a new friendship with the countryside. It is expressed in the term "week-ending," which is also an inner circumstance in the growth of books about the country, topography, nature studies, and so on. My point is that the decided progress of Walt Whitman with the English reader is most liberally associated with this movement. For instance, the present month has seen the birth of an open-air magazine called The Tramp, and the music to which its contents are to march is sounded in the Whitman poem beginning:

> Afoot and light-hearted, I take to the open road,
> Healthy, free, the world before me,
> The long brown path before me leading wherever I choose.

The English are slow to read what strangers write about them, partly because they think there is little to be said, partly because they think it doesn't matter anyhow. England is an old country, it has been through all the wars of time and criticism, and its people have long ceased to be sensitive. But we are all, individually and collectively, open to discriminating praise—shall I call it—to the truth, as we ourselves see it, told nicely. Herein, I am assured, lies the secret of why Price Collier's book, "England and the English," has, for a book of the sort, had a really large sale here—some five or six thousand copies. Its England is, broadly speaking, the England of the "upper ten," the society England which takes itself seriously, still clinging to the idea that it was born to rule the land, a perfectly worthy idea in itself, though now almost of the past. Well, that England has, rightly or wrongly, seen itself in Price Collier's pages; it knows the author personally, as a result of his residence in England; it buys books largely, being accustomed to read and having money, and so it has bought "England and the English."

Your English reader of the serious, leisured, well-off class is often also a lover of sporting books, which, if they be passably good, never fail to find a public here. The Earl of March, who is the eldest son of the Duke of Richmond and Gordon, has been preparing such a volume. This branch of the Gordon family is fortunate enough to possess the historic and beautiful mansion of Goodwood, which gives the name to the fashionable race meeting. At Goodwood there are many family manuscripts, and from these the Earl of March is drawing a record of the old fox-hunting days in Sussex and thereabout. In particular, he has come upon a sporting journal kept by his ancestor, the second Duke, during the period 1738 to 1746. The journal contains a humorous agreement, drawn up in legal form, between the Duke and his neighbor, the Earl of Tankerville, as to the hunting of the locality. It was witnessed by the contemporary Dukes of Grafton, St. Albans, Bolton, and Montrose, for those were ducal days—the "slump" in Dukes, as in poetry, was still afar.

There is never happily likely to be a "slump" in novels, but fate does not appear to be kindly to successive efforts at introducing new prices for them. Back in the Autumn we heard much to the effect that the six-shilling novel had had its day and ought to be succeeded by a new form. This form, Mr. Heinemann thought, should be on what somebody once called, after Shakespeare's play, the "measure for measure system;" that is, at prices rising or falling, according to the length of the work. Thus, Hall Caine's "White Prophet" appeared in two volumes at 4s. net, as also did Robert Hichens's "Bella Donna," while you paid 3s. net for a novel less long, and therefore contained in one volume. New novels announced in the Heinemann Spring list are priced at the old familiar 6s. Even "Bella Donna," going into a second edition, becomes a "one volumer" at 6s., from which facts one judges that the "new departure" has not been a triumph. The fact is that the great circulating libraries remain the axis on which the English fiction reading world turns, and they find the six-shilling novel complete in one volume and not net in price most suitable for their business. How they will find the florin net, single-volume Nelson novel when it comes along in April remains to be seen.

JAMES MILNE.

AMONG THE AUTHORS.

RICHARD TJADER, whose book, "The Big Game of Africa," will be published this Spring, has just presented to the New York Zoological Park the head of an East African elephant, said to be the largest on record. The beast was shot by Mr. Tjader in the middle of the head, just above the eyes, the sportsman thus saving himself from the fatal results of a furious charge with which he was menaced. The elephant was 12 feet high at the shoulders, 25 feet in length, chest measurement, 18 feet 7 inches; length of tusks, 7 feet 2 inches; length of trunk, 7 feet 6 inches.

Charles Battell Loomis will visit London during the coming season to try his fortunes as a reader, confining himself to his own work. When Jerome K. Jerome was in this country Mr. Loomis accompanied him and the two gave joint readings, but in England Mr. Loomis will read alone. This is his second venture of the sort. The first four years ago resulted in the publication of "A Bath in an English Tub," made up of letters, contributed to a New York Sunday paper, which feature will be continued this year.

Will N. Harben is thus praised by William Dean Howells in an article appearing in the current North American Review: "Of all our localists, as I may call the type of American writers whom I think the most National, no one has done things more expressive of the life he was born to than Mr. Harben. * * * At its truest his work is masterly. * * * If Mr. Harben could have sustained the story ("Westerfelt") in the level of the opening chapters he would have created a masterpiece worthy of the great modern Spaniards or Russians, and rare in our besotted Anglo-Saxon fiction."

Isaac F. Marcosson, author of the forthcoming "Autobiography of a Clown," came to New York from Louisville seven years ago to join the staff of The World's Work. While on this magazine he took a prominent part in its "Jungle" campaign. Three years ago he became the New York representative of The Saturday Evening Post. He is spoken of as "the historian of rich men and money," and is said to have persuaded John D. Archbold to write his celebrated defense of the Standard Oil Company.

Capt. Frank H. Shaw, author of "First at the Pole," a story for boys, is an inveterate traveler. A seaman at 16, Capt. Shaw served four years in sailing ships, and before he reached the age of 20 had been three times around the world. He has crossed the Atlantic forty-two times, and covered nearly half a million miles of sea. Capt. Shaw is still a young man, and in the intervals of his wanderings writes stories of adventure for boys.

Hallie Erminie Rives is the maiden name and the pen name of Mrs. Post Wheeler. Mr. Wheeler, her husband, is a diplomat and a writer of verse, who has just been advanced from Secretary of the American Embassy at Tokio to the same office at St. Petersburg. Mrs. Wheeler's latest noval, "The Kingdom of Slender Swords," is the fruit of her residence in Japan.

Deltus Malin Edwards, a special writer on arctic affairs, has been engaged by the Holts to write a book on "The Toll of the Arctic Seas," in which he will describe the adventures of the most famous arctic explorers.

Prof. Bliss Perry is now visiting the French provincial universities. He has just completed a course of lectures at the Sorbonne.

A. Radclyffe Dugmore, F. R. G. S., has gone on a lecture tour through the United States and Canada.

INSPIRATION AND POETIC ENERGY.

Prof. George Edward Woodberry in His Latest Volume Presents an Interesting Study of the Emotional Element in Poetry—Ecstasy and Poetic Madness—Always Some Wildness in the Poet's Nature.

By WILLIAM ASPENWALL BRADLEY.

G. LOWES DICKINSON, in one of his brilliant dialogues that touch modern life and test it at so many points, makes a character engaged in destructive criticism of American civilization ask what is to be expected of a country that has produced no single great love poem. The implication, of course, is that love poetry, being the representative type of pure emotion in literature, and emotion being the motive force of life itself, the race which is lacking in the one must necessarily be deficient in the other also. Leaving to the readers of THE TIMES SATURDAY REVIEW to determine the truth of the premises, we merely note that the conclusion thus logically deduced is in complete accordance with the direct impression of a dead level of monotonous mediocrity which, as we know, Mr. Dickinson has derived from his contact with our society and institutions.

Prof. Woodberry, in his latest book,* "The Inspiration of Poetry," a study in the emotional element in poetry, shows that both Emerson and he are in substantial agreement with our English critic by quoting with apparent approval the remarks of the Concord sage on ecstasy. "In his essay on poetry," says Prof. Woodberry, "he (Emerson) puts his finger on the ailing place when he says that American poetry lacks abandonment, and he extends the diagnosis to all American life when he exclaims, 'O celestial Bacchus! drive them mad—this multitude of vagabonds, hungry for eloquence, hungry for poetry, starving for symbols, perishing for want of electricity to vitalize this too much pasture, and in the long delay indemnifying themselves with the false wine of alcohol, of politics, or of money.'"

What Emerson called ecstasy is precisely what the Greeks meant by poetic madness, and it is the purpose of Prof. Woodberry in the book before us to explain on rational grounds what the Greeks and Emerson alike attributed to a divine origin, and what the average American, with his lack of abandonment and his instinctive abhorrence of whatever escapes the control of common sense and the common understanding, is wont to regard as madness of quite another sort.

Nowhere, in the world, probably, has the idea that poetic genius bears a direct pathological relation to insanity found so hospitable a reception as in this country, where the prevailing lack of genius becomes therefore a sound guarantee of inherent wholesomeness in the race. Prof. Woodberry, however, accepting the anthropological pedigree of the poet from the singing and dancing horde, regards poetic ecstasy not as pathological, but as primitive:

> It is not characterized by an unbalanced or diseased reason or by any temporary fury and aberration; it is characterized rather by a suspension of reason. The plain truth appears to be no more than that, in proportion to the degree of emotional excitement, the operation of the mind tends to become instinctive, and in the crisis of passion becomes wholly so.

The phenomenon of the involuntary and unconscious working of the mind in moments of such suspense is a common fact of experience with all.

> It is not more strange in the case of a poet, whose brain is beat into rhythm, that a mood should so discharge itself in musical images than that when you sit down before the fire vivid pictures should of themselves rise before your mind in reverie.

Emotion is "the unloosed force" which operates this release of the mind from its ordinary principles of control, and thus sends it drifting out of time and space.

"It is to be borne in mind," says Prof. Woodberry,

> that emotion of this drifting and possessing sort is primary in human nature; it may well be that the state of primitive man was more dreamlike than we easily fancy, that as he emerged from the brute his mental state was still casual, lax, uncertain, subject to torpid intervals, and coursed by waves of panic fear and strange expectancy. The great effort of civilization has been, and still is, the attempt to introduce a principle of control into that casual swarm of impressions which makes up men's thought and of which, especially when swayed by emotion, spontaneous action is the law. The poet, then, "and herein lies the crux of the argument," under excitement seems to present the phenomenon of a highly developed mind working in a primitive way; what is called his madness denotes nothing abnormal, but is rather an unusually perfect illustration of the normal action of emotion in a pure form; he is mad in so far as he does not call either will or reason to his aid, but allows unimpeded course to the instinctive expression of passion.

What the poet experiences, therefore, is different from that which is experienced by other men only in degree, while the fact that the emotion to which he responds is the same as that in which all share brings him closer to the reality of life which "lies, in general, in emotional contact." Here is Prof. Woodberry's picture of the poet thus conceived as a creature of emotion:

> There is always some wildness in his nature; he is apt to be roving, adventurous, unforeseen; he is without fear, he is careless of his life, he is not to be commanded; freedom is what he most dearly loves, and he will have it at any peril. * * * It is a widespread error, and due only to the academic second-hand practice of poetry, to oppose the poet to the man of action, or assign to him a merely contemplative rôle in life, or in other ways deny reality to the poet's experience; intensity of living is preliminary to all great expression. From the beginning, about the rude altar of the god, to the days of Goethe, of Leopardi, and of Victor Hugo, the poet is the leader in the dance of life; and the phrase by which we name his singularity, the poetic temperament, denotes the primacy of that passion in his blood with which the frame of other men is less richly charged.

There is another aspect under which the poet presents himself. He is the artist, the dreamer, as well as the embodiment of primitive emotion. But the intellectual element in poetry, the form, the idea, the "dream," as Prof. Woodberry likes to call it, "that attends emotion is not something artificially and arbitrarily united with it, but is given forth from it, and is as naturally joined there as the flower to the root. Try as one may, one cannot in poetry—even in its art—escape from the omniprescience of this secret power, the mystery that gives forth life, of what is beneath all." Of the dream, the substance which is thus given to the poet—how he cannot tell save that "it comes as the smile comes to the lips or tears to the eyes"—the author has, we believe, prepared an analysis parallel to this present discourse in a series of lectures not yet published. Here it is the secret power itself, this primal poetic energy rooted in the emotional nature of man, that he considers rather in relation to its obscure sources and through manifestations of pure force and possession in individual instances, than to the significance of its intellectual product in the sphere of art. The figures which he has chosen as types of this energy, while in several cases those of poets in whom the artistic and intellectual elements command perhaps equal attention, are, with one exception, exemplary in the highest degree of that passion of life which in exalted natures so readily takes on the aspect of madness.

This exception is Gray. "Certainly," says Prof. Woodberry, "no one would dream of describing Gray as 'mad'; the word 'passion' is grotesquely inapplicable to him, and even such a phrase as 'the power of life' seems dubiously to be used of his lethargic nature." It may at first appear strange to include a poet who wrote so little that he is, admittedly, in literary history "the typical instance of unproductiveness, of sterility." Gray was a minor poet, though, as the writer warns, "it behooves us especially to be modest, for our magnificent America has never yet produced a poet even of the rank of Gray." But it is precisely because Gray was a minor poet that Mr. Woodberry has selected him as a foil to the great figures—Marlowe, Tasso, Camoens, Byron, Lucretius—with whom he deals in his other chapters. For even the minor poets, if the theory of poetic energy which has been stated is sound, "should show in their degree the traits of the grand style, as we find the same supreme Greek art even on broken vases and utensils of daily life."

Conformably with this opening image of the essay which justified and dexterous justification of what seems at the outset a somewhat perilous paradox of selection, Prof. Woodberry finds that Gray's work reminds him "most often of the minor craftsmanship of the Greek artisans who made of common clay for common use the images and funeral urns; such seems to me the material of the poems, but in form how perfect they are, both for grace and dignity, and they are adorned, like the Greek vases, with designs, little pictures, imitated from and echoing the greater arts. If the poetic fire in them be rather a warmth than a flame, yet they are lovely receptacles of its half-extinct ashes." In another place he suggestively varies the image. A volcano is not always in violent eruption, "and those who look on it for the most part see the mighty mountain with only a thin wisp of smoke lazily drifting upon the pale, high air * * * in comparison with such other poets as we have considered Gray's verse is such a wisp of smoke. Yet," he adds, "it is fair to remember—what is oftenest forgotten—that great literature is not a constant product of this planet, that many nations have none of it to speak of, and that in favored nations it is the rarest of all their products. On the whole poetic energy, if it has the violence and splendor of volcanic fire, has also its general reposefulness. In the intervals of activity men are content with the minor phenomena which show the continued, though torpid, existence of the great life principle; and the wisp of smoke is, after all, curling placidly up from the great forges within."

Few and thin are the wisps of smoke that drift to-day across our mountain ranges, which, if they are indeed of volcanic origin, seem to have become all but extinct. Perhaps we are not one of those "favored nations" of which even poetry is the rarest product. Perhaps, on the other hand, our time has not yet come. "Nature is a frugal mother," says Emerson, "and never gives without measure. When she has work to-day she qualifies men for that and sends them equipped for that." There is still work to do on this continent. Now no more than in the Massachusetts of which Emerson was writing does nature "want epic poems and dramas yet, but first, planters of towns, fellers of the forest, builders of mills and forges, builders of roads, and farmers to till and harvest corn for the world."

It is still a material age, and the full moral consciousness of the race, let us hope, has not yet awakened, since even in the throes of the one great struggle through which we have emerged into complete National unity we bore little fruit of the spirit that would give us lasting remembrance among the nations of the future. Let us remember, at least, lest we lose hope, that we are a young Nation if an old race, and that since our National existence began, there has opened for us no one of those great lines of fracture in human progress along which, asserts Prof. Woodberry, great literatures are wont to arise. It was in accordance with this principle "that Marlowe was the child of the Renaissance in England, that Camoens was the poet of world-discovery, that Byron was the star of the revolutionary spirit on the Continent, and Tasso foretold the age of music, and Lucretius stood in the dawn of scientific reason; each occupied a point of vantage, and was, as it were, a mountain crag that caught and flashed on a moment of morning light. Each represented some mood of the world at a culminating point, and with intensity."

It was the faith of Emerson that a poet would yet arise in this country to catch on his shield the gleam of a brighter dawn than has ever risen for humanity. A country perplexed by problems of the tariff and the trusts, and confounded by the cost of living, is, however, scarcely ripe for a moral awakening or ready for poetry. Meanwhile it is well for us who "hunger," as Emerson says, for poetry and eloquence, without well knowing what these things are save by rote and hearsay, to be reminded by a teacher like Prof. Woodberry of the fresh sources of emotion that must spring in us before we can break through our hard and narrow mental attitude toward life and come to shape the idea, the image, the dream.

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AMONG THE MAGAZINES.

Second Installment of the Tables of Contents of the April Monthlies—Important Articles and Attractive Fiction Noted in the Century, Scribner's, the Atlantic Monthly, and Other Periodicals—Political and Social Problems.

HIGH prices, the cost of living, and the food problem, topics which are under discussion everywhere, receive due attention in the April magazines. Thus in the forthcoming Atlantic Monthly W. Martin Swift enters upon "A Discussion of the Cost of Living;" in Pearson's, Allan L. Benson has an article entitled "The Facts About the Food Problem," while Elizabeth Hewes, in the American, writes of "The Riddle of High Prices."

To the Century for April Prof. William H. Pickering contributes an article on "The Return of Halley's Comet." "Why Socialism is Impracticable" is considered in the same number by Charles R. Miller. Former President Roosevelt, now emerging from the African wilds, continues the narrative of his adventures in the April Scribner's, the present article dealing with "Hunting in the Sotic." Corwin Knapp Linson, in the same number, has an interesting article, beautifully illustrated, entitled "Pont-Aven Vignettes."

The April number of Putnam's Magazine is, as has already been noted, the last issue of that periodical, and a sentimental interest attaches to it in consequence. Its good will and subscription list has been taken over by the Atlantic Monthly. In addition to the titles briefly indicated above there is a wealth of material; important articles and interesting fiction to be found in the April monthlies, as is disclosed by their tables of contents, the second and final installment of which appears to-day.

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The Bibliotheque Nationale's Year.

M. Henri Marcel, the Director of the Bibliothèque Nationale, publishes in the Journal Officiel his annual report for 1909, from which it appears that 6,079 books and pamphlets, 132,000 periodicals and newspapers, and 7,316 pieces of music have been added in the past year. In addition to these 9,547 foreign books and 71,000 foreign reviews and periodicals have been acquired.

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A Volume of Verse by John Kendrick Bangs—"Letters to My Son"—Some New Novels.

BOSTON, March 25.—Those who mistake Mr. John Kendrick Bangs by his "Idiot" and "Schoolmaster" and other knights of the sardonic smile should suspend judgment until they read "Songs of Cheer," his little volume of verse which Messrs. Sherman, French & Co. are publishing this month. The contents alternate between valiant exhortations to cheerfulness and hopefulness, each one with its merry quip to dull the dart of unhappiness, and pictures of lovely aspects of field or garden or wood, landscapes justifying their description as smiling. Everybody knows Mr. Bangs's verse, and knows that it is not great poetry, although occasionally a line carries freight of real thought, but that it is of the sort in which the much-abused man who "knows what he likes" finds comfort in everyday troubles, and tucks into the compartment of his pocketbook containing his wife's picture and the baby's curl. Mr. Bangs has no delusions about himself and repeatedly expresses his perfect contentment with his position, preferring to be loved rather than to surpass others and "look down on the hate of those below." Abou Ben Adhem's epitaph with a slight difference would serve him well. "One who cheered his fellowmen" he would certainly like to be called. He dedicates his book "To the Rose-Lady, M. G. B."

Mrs. Anne Warner French's new novel, to be called "Leslie Loves" in England, will be published in this country by Messrs. Little, Brown & Co., under the name of "Just Between Themselves," as announced last month. It is to have a colored frontispiece by Mr. Will Giefe, and possibly a new portrait of the author may serve it as a book mark, for an especially good picture of her appears in the firm's latest catalogue. For the next two weeks this house will devote itself to keeping up with its orders and will then publish two novels.

In May the Houghton Mifflin Company will publish "Letters to My Son," issued anonymously by the desire of its writer, "a well-known English author." The letters enlighten the young man as to his mother's early wedded life, a subject as to which most sons go to their graves in ignorance. One wonders if the anonymous lady be that English novelist who has within a few years twice written in defense of her son against what she deems the injustice of his teachers. Perhaps the statement that the book is written with "a lack of self-consciousness" awakens the thought.

"Swimming," by Edwin Tenney Brewster, is a small book, for which the company expects a large sale during the coming season, larger, perhaps, because the Navy Department, having discovered that some 2,500 men on the warships cannot swim, is planning to have them learn the art. Mr. Brewster's book teaches them all the ways expounded by the late Rev. Frederick Ingham, who was an enthusiast on the subject.

"My Grandmother's Garden," by Mrs. Mary Matthews Bray, originally printed in the Atlantic Monthly, is to be published in book form by Richard G. Badger, under the title "My Grandmother's Garden and an Orchard Ancestral." The orchard begins behind the garden, which is on Cape Cod, and is of old apple trees, sheltering venerable memories.

The Oliver Optic stories, to which the Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Company is to give book form this season, should be called the "In Search of a Father" series, for every one of the six presents a youth uncertain as to his parentage. The hero of "Building Himself Up," after being shipwrecked, is kidnapped by smugglers, who are able to tell him who he is, and to lead him where a fortune awaits him. "The Professor's Son" describes the use to which a pugilist's son puts his father's teaching, so using it that he attracts the attention of one who can prove him to be a scion of the peerage; and in "Striving for His Own" a boy discovers that an English title belongs to him, goes and fights for it, and wins it. In the other three books, "Lyon Hart's Heroism," "Louis Chiswick's Mission," and "Royal Tarr's Pluck," one hero figures under three names, and almost seems to need a little dog to recognize him, like the old lady unkindly treated by the peddler whose name was Stout, but he comes to his own in the end, after a beneficent career. It will be seen that these are really fairy tales, concealing no instruction except the general lesson that truth and simple manliness always "pay."

The C. M. Clark Company has three new novels in preparation, and the first, "Up the Grade," by Mr. David W. Edwards, opens a pleasant prospect to booksellers and librarians in the shape of readers unable to distinguish between it and Mr. Goodwin's "The Up Grade." It is, however, a story not of self-redemption, but of resistance to subtly offered temptation and eventual happiness rewarding faithful industry. The second, "The Drag-Net," attacks the system of so administering the law that an innocent boy must be detained among criminals because after he is once arrested the county has no other place for him. The third book, "Tantalus," by Miss Mary Forward Kimmel, discusses the question how long the sinner must suffer before he is justified in thinking that he has made atonement.

A biography of Mr. Walter S. Cramp, author of "The Biter," appears in the current number of Clark's Book Herald. He is the son of Mr. Samuel N. Cramp of the house of Messrs. William Cramp & Sons, and in his early youth occupied a position in the shipyard, but he learned Italian to read Dante, and Arabic to study the Koran, and French, German, and Spanish for general purposes, and at last went to Algiers to see genuine Arab life. Then he visited Italy and extended his studies in music, and had an opera of his own performed in the Verdi Theatre, Florence. After his return to this country he made himself a home at Redlands, San Bernardino County, Cal.

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G. F. WRIGHT.—Can you tell me where I can find any information concerning Douglas, the author of the song "Annie Laurie," and a copy of that song as it was originally written?

A short history of this popular lyric will be found in Adair Fitz-Gerald's "Stories of Famous Songs," published by the J. B. Lippincott Company in 1906. Douglas's Christian name was William, and he was a resident of Finland, or Fingland. Annie Laurie was a daughter of Sir Robert Laurie by his second wife, Jean, who was a daughter of Riddel of Minto. Laurie was created a baronet in 1685, and Douglas's song was composed, it is believed, about 1700. James Grant, in his preface to "The Scottish Cavalier," says that Douglas composed and sang it while in Flanders; that he was soon afterward killed in battle, and that he died holding a lock of Annie's hair in his hand and with her fond name upon his lips, but this is presumed to be mere fiction. Annie, at any rate, was wedded in 1709 to Alexander Fergusson of Craigdarroch. She became the mother of another Alexander Fergusson, who is the hero (?) of Robert Burns's song "The Whistle." When Anne of Denmark accompanied James VI. to Scotland one of her followers was a gigantic Dane, who had an ebony whistle, which he would lay on the table at the beginning of a drinking bout. Any one who at the ending of the bout was able to blow it earned the title of "Champion of the Whistle." Sir Robert Laurie, after three days and three nights' hard drinking, left the big Dane under the table and "blew on the whistle his requiem shrill." The whistle, in course of time, fell to Annie Laurie's son at a drinking bout at Friars Carse, Oct. 16, 1790. The song, as written by Douglas, consisted of two stanzas, as follows:

Maxwelton's banks are bonnie,
They're a' clad owre wi' dew,
Where I an' Annie Laurie,
Made up the bargain true;
Made up the bargain true,
Which ne'er forgot s'all be,
An' for bonnie Annie Laurie
I'd lay me down an' dee.

She's backit like the peacock,
She's breistit like the swan,
She's jimp around the middle—
Her waist ye weel micht span—
Her waist ye weel micht span—
An' she has a rolling e'e,
An' for bonnie Annie Laurie,
I'd lay me down an' dee.

A third stanza was written by Lady John Scott, who also changed the first words of Douglas's original version from "Maxwelton's banks" to "Maxwelton's braes." This third stanza runs:

Like dew on the gowan lying
Is the fa' o' her fairy feet;
Like Summer breezes sighing,
Her voice is low an' sweet—
Her voice is low an' sweet—
An' she's a' the world to me,
An' for bonnie Annie Laurie
I'd lay me down an' dee.

Douglas is the hero of the song "Willie Was a Wanton Wag." The air of "Annie Laurie" as now sung is said to have been composed by Lady Scott. The first four lines of the second stanza of the original song are taken from the ballad of "John Anderson My Jo," as rendered before Burns's version was published.

L. P. B.—If it is a proper question for reply through your SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS would you let me know of any book, pamphlet, magazine article, or other writing upon the subject of "Cremation"? I have thus far been unable to find anything upon it, either from the Christian, scientific, or economic standpoint, and would be glad for information.

See A. G. Cobb's "Earth Burial and Cremation," published at $1 by G. P. Putnam's Sons; J. S. Cobb's "Quarter Century of Cremation in North America," published at $1 by Knight & Millet of Boston; H. Thompson's "Modern Cremation," $1, Charles Scribner's Sons; Thomas Browne's "Hydriotaphia; or, Urn Burial," published in 1658, and recently republished, and Freeman's "Crematoria in Great Britain and Abroad," published in London in 1905. Sir Henry Thompson, the leader of the movement in England, wrote a strong argument in its favor which was published in the Contemporary Review for January, 1874.

W. H. A.—Can you give me the words of consolation addressed by Lord Brooke (Fulke Greville) to a lady of quality on married unhappiness, of which Coleridge said he could remember no more beautiful piece of prose? If too long to quote, some reader may be able to tell me where I can find the words.

Fulke Greville's "A Letter to an Honorable Lady," offering her advice in domestic difficulties with her husband, appears in "Certain Learned and Elegant Workes of the Right Honourable Fulke Greville, Lord Brooke, Written in His Youth and Familiar Exercise with Sir Philip Sidney," a thin folio published in London in 1633. The whole works of Fulke Greville have been collected and edited by Dr. A. B. Grosart, four volumes, 1870, and are accessible in any large public library.

H. M. K.—I would greatly appreciate any information that you may give me regarding the following book in my possession: "A Voyage to the South Seas, &c., performed from the month of September in the year 1740 to June 1744 by Commodore Anson in His Majesty's ship the Centurian, having under his command the Gloucester, Pearl, Severn, Wager, Trial and two storeships, written by an Officer of the Fleet. London-1744. Printed by A. Merryman, Ludgate Hill."

It seems probable that the above was published in parts, as on Page 253 the printer states that he is about to issue another book, "and will be the cheapest book ever published, the price being one farthing each half sheet and will be sent to our subscribers every day."

This work was believed to have been written by Richard Walter, chaplain of the Centurion, but, years after its original publication, a claim was made that Benjamin Robins was the real author. This claim has never been substantiated. Robins had been employed as sub-editor and assistant in preparing the work for publication. Halkett & Laing's Dictionary of Anonymous and Pseudonymus Literature has it "By an Officer of the Squadron" instead of "By an Officer of the Fleet." There is also "A Journal of a Voyage to the South Seas," by Pascoe Thomas, who was teacher of mathematics on board the Centurion.

C. L. D.—Can you tell me the value of "The Life of Napoleon Bonaparte," by the author of Waverly, published by Jesper Harding, 1848? Also nine separate volumes, "Documents Relative to the Colonial History of the State of New York," by John Romeyn Brodhead, Esq. Published 1858. Also three separate volumes of Illustrated London News, Sept. 30, 1871, to November, 1872?

The 1848 edition of Sir Walter Scott's "Life of Napoleon" has no special value. From 1841-45, as agent for New York, John Romeyn Brodhead collected, in the archives of Europe, historical material of great value, which was published under the editorships of E. B. O'Callaghan (eleven volumes) and B. Fernow (four volumes) as "Documents Relating to the Colonial History of the State of New York," &c, (1853-87.) The set realized $5.25 at the Anjou sale, $8.25 at the Comstock sale, and $13.18 at the Searing sale. The volumes of the Illustrated London News are worth from $1 to $2.

CHARLES E. WEBSTER.—Please advise in THE SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS if any of the words of the lately honored Selma Lagerlof have been translated into English. I especially wish to secure the volume, whose French title is "Les Liens Invisible."

"Invisible Links," "Miracles of Antichrist," and the "Story of Gösta Berling," English translations by P. B. Flach, were published by Little, Brown & Co. of Boston in 1898-99. "From a Swedish Homestead" was published in 1901 by McClure, Phillips & Co. of this city, and "Wonderful Adventures of Nils," translation by Velma S. Howard, in 1907, by Doubleday, Page & Co. of this city.

Mrs. C. M. BERRY.—I have a set of old Bibles which were printed in 1816 all in good shape, bound in heavy leather. These books were printed by S. L. Loomis, Hart & Lincoln. They are by Thomas Scott, rector of Aston Sandford, Bucks, and chaplain to the Lock Hospital. I have five volumes and the encyclopedia.

Thomas Scott's Bible, four volumes quarto, was published 1788-92, the first volume being dated 1788 and the remaining three volumes 1792. A second edition appeared in 1809, a third edition in 1810, and a fourth edition in 1812. There were many subsequent reprints, and one of these our correspondent has. Its value is nominal.

W. B. C.—Please let me know if the edition of Tennyson's poems published by Edward Moxon, Dover Street, London, in 1857 has any special value. It is illustrated by Rossetti, Millais, Holman Hunt, and others. I have been told it is a famous edition.

Copies of it have brought at auction from $6 to $16.25.

E. W. S.—I have a volume of "An Universal Etymological English Dictionary," by N. Bailey. It is bound in leather and is the "Four and Twentieth Edition Carefully Enlarged and Corrected, by Edward Harwood, D. D." London, Jan. 1, 1782. The letter S is printed in two ways, it sometimes being like an F. Will you kindly advise me if there is any value attached to it?

It has no special value.

Answers from Readers.

M. E. G. ATEN.—In reply to the request of Mrs. McB. I send the following poem, translated from the German. I regret I have not the music. My mother sang the song nearly fifty years ago, and when I was a small girl it seemed to be always accompanied by my tears:

THE LONG, LONG, WEARY DAY.

The long, long, weary day
Has passed in tears away,
And still at eve I'm weeping
While from my window height
I look out on the night,
I still am weeping,
My lone watch keeping.

Alas, if land or sea
Had parted him from me
I would not these sad tears be weeping,
But hope he'll come once more
And love me as before,
And say, "Cease weeping,"
Thy lone watch keeping.

But he is dead and gone,
Whose love was mine alone,
And for him I'm ever weeping;
His face no more I'll see,
And nought is left for me
But bitter weeping,
My love watch keeping.

ARTHUR H. MERRITT.—Apropos of the poem entitled "Twenty Years Ago," ascribed to Francis Huston by "J. A. R." in THE REVIEW of Feb. 12, and to Thomas Gould by Helen Coleman Herron in the issue of March 12, I desire to submit the following history of the poem as given several years ago by Mr. M. V. Moore of Auburn, Ala. I do this in the hope that the authenticity of the poem, usually printed anonymously, may be definitely determined.

Mr. Moore says: "The original manuscript of the poem 'Twenty Years Ago,' in a very crude state, was found by me many years ago on going into my stateroom on board one of our ocean steamers. There was scarcely a perfect verse in all the stanzas, but I at once recognized the beauty and promise of the embyro song. It had evidently been penciled down by a genius, who was writing either hurriedly or carelessly, and with a view to future revision. I was so captured by the sentiment and pathos of the verse that I at

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once took care to preserve the manuscript with a view to its future publication after proper rewriting. In a short while afterward I learned that the composition was the work of a young Irish sailor or servant aboard the vessel. He claimed the manuscript as his own original work, and asked that it be restored to him. He gave his name as Francis Hueston; he said, furthermore, that he was the author of numerous other verses, many of which had been published in Frank Leslie's newspaper—a fact which I afterward learned was true. I asked him to give me a copy of the verses in my possession, but after some further conversation with him he consented that I keep the original and have it published, giving him credit for the authorship. I at once revised the work, put it in proper shape for the printer, and sent it to my friend, John R. Thompson of Richmond, Va., who was then the editor of The Southern Literary Messenger. Mr. Thompson was so well pleased with the verses that he afterward published them in The Southern Field and Fireside, a literary paper he was editing at Augusta, Ga.

R. FLEMING.—The poem, "Tired Mothers," by May Riley Smith, asked for by "M. M. I." in your issue of Feb. 26, is given below. It is often found in the "poet's corner" of newspapers and is included in a number of poetical collections. The writer, Mary Louise (Riley) Smith, was born in Brighton, N. Y., in 1842, married to Albert Smith, removed to New York City, has contributed to the periodical press, and is the author of several volumes of poetry. She is generally known as May Riley Smith. Her most widely known single poem is "Sometime."

TIRED MOTHERS.

A little elbow leans upon your knee,
  Your tired knee, that has so much to bear;
A child's dear eyes are looking lovingly
  From underneath a thatch of tangled hair.
Perhaps you do not heed the velvet touch
  Of warm, moist fingers, folding yours so tight—
You do not prize this blessing overmuch;
  You almost are too tired to pray to-night.

But it is blessedness! A year ago
  I did not see it as I do to-day;
We are so dull and thankless; and too slow
  To catch the sunshine till it slips away.
And now it seems surpassing strange to me
  That, while I wore the badge of motherhood,
I did not kiss more oft and tenderly
  The little child that brought me only good.

And if, some night, when you sit down to rest,
  You miss this elbow from your tired knee,
This restless, curling head from off your breast,
  This lisping tongue that chatters constantly;
If from your own the dimpled hands had slipped,
  And ne'er would nestle in your palm again;
If the white feet into their grave had tripped,
  I could not blame you for your heartache then!

I wonder so that mothers ever fret
  At little children clinging to their gown,
Or that the footprints when the days are wet
  Are ever black enough to make them frown.
If I could find a little muddy boot,
  Or cap, or jacket, on my chamber floor;
If I could kiss a rosy, restless foot,
  And hear its patter in my home once more;

If I could mend a broken cart to-day,
  To-morrow make a kite to reach the sky—
There is no woman in God's world could say
  She was more blissfully content than I.
But, ah! the dainty pillow next my own
  Is never rumpled by a shining head;
My singing birdling from its nest has flown,
  The little boy I used to kiss is dead!

Answers to this appeal were also received from M. H. Sayre, New York; Florence M. Pilgrim, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Mrs. M. H. Kimberley, New York; Mary E. Howard, Ogdensburg, N. Y.; Jessie M. Anderson, Brooklyn; Mrs. J. J. Pinkerton, West Chester, Penn.; Mrs. J. R. Griswold, Winsted, Conn.; Katharine D. Stubbs, Waterford, N. Y.; Bessie A. Boughan, New York; Rosalie B. Murray, Detroit, Mich.; "E. M. D.," Chanute, Kan.; "Mrs. L. S. S.," Cohoes, N. Y., and "R. J.," Pender, Neb.

E. P.—These are the words of the "Poaching Song," quoted by Kipling, and also in "Tom Brown at Rugby." They were asked for by G. R. V., in your issue of March 12:

IN THE SEASON OF THE YEAR.

When I was bound apprentice
In famous Lincolnshire
Full well I served my master
For more than seven year,
Till I took up to poaching,
As you shall quickly hear.
For 'tis my delight of a shiny night,
In the season of the year.

As we and my companions
Were setting of a snare,
The gamekeeper was watching us,
For him we did not care.
For we can wrestle and fight, my boys,
And jump out anywhere,
For 'tis my delight, &c.

As we and my companions
Were setting four or five,
And taking of them up again
We caught the hare alive;
We took the hare alive, my boys,
And thro' the woods did steer,
For 'tis my delight, &c.

We threw him on our shoulders
And then we trudged home,
We took him to a neighbor's house
And sold him for a crown;
We sold him for a crown, my boys,
But I did not tell you where,
For 'tis my delight, &c.

Success to every gentleman
That lives in Lincolnshire,
Success to every poacher
That wants to sell a hare,
Bad luck to every gamekeeper
That will not sell his deer,
For 'tis my delight, of a shiny night
In the season of the year.

In reference to the above George C. Wing writes that he bought a copy of the song under the title of "The Poachers of Lincolnshire" from Oliver Ditson & Co., music publishers, Boston, Mass.

FRED E. WOODWARD.—In your issue of March 5 there appears an answer to an inquiry made by Stephen C. Lang as to the authorship of the poem entitled "There Is No Death."

May I add further that in quiet Glenwood Cemetery in the City of Washington, D. C., on the northern slope of a slight hill there stands a beautiful block of polished granite bearing on its face the name of the author and the first stanza of this imperishable poem? It reads as follows:

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There is no death! the stars go down
  To rise upon some other shore,
And bright in heaven's jeweled crown
  They shine forever more.

This is all. Apparently neglected so far as friendly care is concerned, destitute of shrub or flower, despite the memorial stone, the solitary mound is the picture of loneliness.

As the writer passed the spot in the beautiful Springtime with opening bud and song of bird on every hand, he was pleased to see a young lady, a stranger, thoughtfully lay a handful of green upon his grave, saying as she did so, "the poet has a friend."

Appeals to Readers.

EDWARD M. WILLIAMS.—Can any of your readers place for me a rather well-known passage beginning "Zeno of Elea was severely reprimanded by Plato as a sophist, who merely from the base motive of exhibiting his skill in discussion maintained and subverted the same proposition by arguments as powerful and convincing on the one side as on the other?"

LYMAN LEWIS SETTEL.—Between the years 1870 and 1876, possibly as far along as 1882, there was published in an impression of The Tribune a poem by William Winter the first line of which, as I recall it, runs as follows:

Oh, had we met in other years ere I had known. * * *

I lost my copy of the poem, and on writing to Mr. Winter he replied that he had revised the poem in question and under the title "Yellow Leaves" (?) I would find it in his collected works. I found a poem so designated, but so much revised that "me judice" it had lost its charm, and I could not accept it as the one I sought. I write to ascertain if any of the readers of THE REVIEW has a copy or can inform me where I may be able to obtain a copy as published at the time to which I refer.

Likewise about that time there appeared in The Tribune some lines of the following tenor:

What is this Life?
A few soon ended years * * *
And closing with * * *
And then the eternal Sabbath of the Soul.

This poem complete I wish to procure; also where can I find the lines:

Little chickens one, two, three,
Dressed up all to take some tea, &c.

If any of your readers can furnish me with a copy of Mr. Winter's poem as published at about the time to which I refer and also with the other lines complete, as outlined, I shall be greatly obliged.

E. C. C.—I should be much obliged to any one who can place for me a stanza quoted in the Sunday Magazine for Feb. 27 as follows:

Then the troubadour begins to trill
Adown the golden street
Of the city, when the sun sinks low
And a thousand hearts are plunging
To a love they'll never meet,
  Through the meadows of the sunset,
Through the poppies and the wheat,
  In the land where the dead dreams go.

The verse has an Oriental atmosphere, and irresistibly suggests Kipling. If he wrote it, what is the title of the poem and where can it be found?

I have seen the following verse quoted a score of times, but have never been able to find the author. Can any reader of THE REVIEW place it:

A pebble in the streamlet scant
  Has changed the course of many a river;
A dewdrop on the infant plant
  Has warped the giant oak forever.

A. L.—Can any of your readers give the lines of a poem entitled "How the Saints Keep Easter," or some wording very near that?

E. M. D.—Can any of your readers tell me where to find a poem for children, the first lines of which are:

There was once a little Princess
  Who was pretty as a flower;
And in her day a Princess
  Must needs live in a tower,
(A tower is a thing, you know,
  Of majesty and power.)

C. W.—Can any of your readers tell me who wrote a poem commencing:

Oh, why does the white man follow my trail
  Like the hound on the tiger's track?
Does the skin of my dark cheek waken his wrath?
  Does he covet the bow at my back?

In what collection was it published? I thought I could lay my hand on it, but I find that I cannot. I think it was called "—, Lament." My mother used to sing it to me.

M. T.—I would be pleased and grateful if any of your readers could furnish me with the poem entitled "Passed Into Silence," together with the name of the author of this poem.

GEORGE ILES.—I would be glad to know who wrote "Pretty Polly Oliver," a ditty popular during the Marlborough wars. It began:

Oh, pretty Polly Oliver, the pride of her sex,
The love of a grenadier her poor heart did vex;
He courted her so faithful in the good town of Bow,
But he marched off to foreign lands, afighting of the foe!

F. W. H.—Will some of your readers kindly give me the words of an old song, in which the refrain, "Long, long ago," constantly runs? I think it begins, "Tell me the tales."

SARAH E. GEDDES.—Will you kindly inform me the author of poem containing this stanza:

Charge again then, and be dumb!
Let the victors when they come,
When the forts of folly fall,
Find thy body by the wall!

W. E. BEADELL.—I would like to learn who is the author of the inclosed verses—"In Dreams"—and where I can communicate with the party:

IN DREAMS.

Would that I loved you not so much,
  So bitter the mad love seems;
For your hands I hold and your lips I touch
  Only in dreams, in dreams.

I drift your way on a lonely sea,
  Where never a bright star gleams;
And I hear your sweet voice calling me—
  Only in dreams, in dreams.

Only in dreams with a sob and a sigh,
  Where never the morning beams,
Must I live to love you a whole life long,
  Only in dreams, in dreams?

B. M.—Can you help me to find a poem which I once heard recited? Its name I do not know, but three verses begin:

Will it all be the same in a hundred years?

and the fourth verse starts:

'Twill not be the same in a hundred years
How clear soever that motto appears,
For know ye not that beyond the grave,
Far, far beyond where the cedars wave
On the Syrian mountains, and where the stars
Come glittering forth in their golden cars.

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NEW YORK BOOK ANNOUNCEMENTS

New Books by Professor Ross, Dr. Saleeby, and Others—Marion Crawford's Last Novel—New Fiction.

IN his "Sin and Society," published some two or more years ago, Prof. Edward A. Ross gave an analysis of what might be called the changed perspective through which present-day men and women were accustoming themselves to view what is generically set down as sin. The book took account of the evolutionary process at work in the world of ethics, and described some of the actual results of this process as they are to be found in modern society. Prof. Ross's definitions of some of the new aspects of moral deterioration—the "smokeless sin," the "sinning by syndicate" that had taken the place of the crude, bludgeonlike evildoing of the past—were recognized as touching a vital feature of contemporary life and were influential with the student of modern ethics. A sequel to this first book of his has now been written by Prof. Ross, and is published this month by B. W. Huebsch. It is entitled "Latter Day Sinners and Saints," and is a further development of the comparison between the old forms of wrongding with the more refined violations of law and morals that the author describes as being current to-day. It also presents, as a sort of other side to the shield, an analysis of latter-day saints—a comparison of the former ideals of virtue with those which have evolved as a result of twentieth century civilization.

Fiction, Anthology, Biography.

Two novels, two anthologies, and a biography are published this week by the Baker & Taylor Company. One of the novels is the work of Mabel Barnes-Grundy, the English writer, and is called "Gwenda," a story of "two loves, one that failed, followed by one that succeeded." The other novel is the work of a new writer, Jane Brewster Reid, and gives an account of the adventures of four girls at boarding school. It is called "The Owls of St. Ursula's." One of the anthologies is the compilation of garden verse by Temple Scott, entitled "In Praise of Gardens," already noticed in these columns. Accompanying this is a compilation of letters written by famous women, edited by Ada M. Ingpen. "Women as Letter Writers" is the title of the book, and there are included in it specimens of feminine correspondence, beginning with the Paston letters and closing with a selection of letters from Christina Rossetti. The biography is by Henry Murray, the London journalist, who writes his reminiscences under the title "A Stepson of Fortune."

A change of title in one of their series of books is announced by the Baker & Taylor Company—the Child's Guide Series. The publishers state that the books heretofore issued in this series are proving to be of value to grown-up people, and hence they are changing their general title to The Guide Series. Two new volumes are promised for early publication in this series: "A Guide to Great Cities," by Esther Singleton, and "A Guide to Biography, American—Men of Mind," by Burton E. Stevenson.

Marion Crawford's Last Novel.

The last of the three posthumous novels by F. Marion Crawford will be published early next month by the Macmillan Company. It is a story of English society life, entitled "The Undesirable Governess," and is described as differing radically from anything with which Mr. Crawford's name is associated in fiction. There is said to be a considerable amount of humor shown in the handling of the characters and the situations into which they are brought—and humor has not often been used by Mr. Crawford in the development of his plots. The theme of "The Undesirable Governess" concerns the desire of a lady of society to have in her employ a governess who shall possess the highest possible mental attributes, but whose physical charms shall not be such as to win the attentions of any of the male members of the family.

Under the title "The Life of Me" Ethel Shackelford has written what may be described as an autobiography of a baby, which has just been brought out by the Dodge Publishing Company. In it is given an account of "the impressions, experiences, reflections, and actions of an infant philosopher, from the time of his first introduction to people and things up to the mature age of 5 years." The volume contains numerous illustrations by Harry Miller.

The large work in eight octavo volumes known as "The Library of Literary Criticism of English and American Authors," and edited by Charles Wells Moulton, is about to be issued in a new edition by Henry Malkan, instead of by the Moulton Publishing Company, the original publishers. These volumes comprise a series of "studies of all the authors who have made important contributions to the literature of the English language, with biographical and illustrative extracts, anecdotes, and an account of each author's works, and the judgment passed thereon by critics, from the earliest period to the present time." There are 1,150 authors treated in this work, the chronology of which extends from the year 680 to the present decade.

A New Book by Saleeby.

A new book by Dr. C. W. Saleeby on the subject "Woman and Womanhood" will be published this season by Mitchell Kennerley. Last year this author brought out a volume on the general subject of "Health, Strength, and Happiness," in which he discussed and recommended various methods for obtaining and securing the best results in physical and mental culture. His new book, as its title indicates, is restricted to a discussion of these and other matters as they are particularly related to women.

Another of Mitchell Kennerley's books for this season treating of scientific and philosophical subjects, as these show themselves in the varying phases of modern thought, is "The Seekers," by J. E. Sampter. This book, containing an introduction by Dr. Josiah Royce, is described as "an experiment in non-sectarian religion in search of the meaning of things."

Among the new books of fiction promised for this Spring by Mitchell Kennerley is "The Eternal Fires," by Victoria Cross; a volume of stories by Clyde Fitch entitled "The Knighting of the Twins, and Ten Other Tales;" "Montes the Matador and Other Stories," by Frank Harris, author of "The Bomb," &c; "Studies in Wives," by Mrs. Belloc Lowndes; "The Grip of Fear," by Maurice Level; "Just Horses," by Sewell Ford; "Mary," by Winifred Graham; "The Living Strong Box," by Frederic Mauzens; "The Lonely Lovers," by Horace W. C. Newte, and "The End of Dreams," by Wood Levette Wilson.

Memoirs of European Rulers.

Memoirs of three European rulers are published this week by D. Appleton & Co.: "The Real Francis Joseph," by Henri de Weindell, translated by Philip W. Sergeant; "The Drama of St. Helena," by Paul Fremeaux, and "Queen Christina of Sweden," by I. A. Taylor, author of "Lady Jane Grey and Her Times." The work on Francis Joseph gives, according to its sub-title, "The Private Life of the Emperor of Austria," and is said to be written by a man whose information is original and gained at first hand in the exclusive circles of Vienna society. It also gives a history of the reign of the Austrian Emperor, and contains photogravures and some forty portraits among its illustrations. Much of the material from which Paul Fremeaux has derived his book on the last days of the Emperor Napoleon is to be found in the journals and memoirs kept by the various physicians having charge of this illustrious exile to St. Helena. The latter part of the book is devoted to a minute narration of the course of the disease which brought Napoleon to his death, and gives a detailed description of the post mortem examination and of the funeral at St. Helena. Mr. Taylor's book on Queen Christina gives not merely a biographical notice of that monarch, but affords glimpses as well of the political history of Europe from 1626 to 1689; and of the numerous famous persons during that period with which Queen Christina came in contact.

Three other books, two of them of travel in Asia and Africa, are published this week by the Appletons. One of these, "Travel and Sport in Turkestan," is by Capt. J. N. Price Wood, Twelfth Royal Lancers, and gives the account, humorous and otherwise, of the author's experiences on a hunting trip in Turkestan. "George Grenfell and the Congo," is by Sir Harry Johnston, G. C. M. G., K. C. B., &c., and is published in two royal octavo volumes, with 496 illustrations from photographs. This work gives a history and description of the Congo Independent State and adjoining districts of Congoland, together with some account of the native peoples and their languages, the flora and fauna, with similar notes on the Cameroons and the Island of Fernando Po. The work is founded on the diaries and researches of the late George Grenfell, B. M. S., F. R. G. S., the records of the British Baptist Missionary, and others. Besides these two books there is published a work by Jules Combarieu, lecturer at the College de France, on "Music: Its Laws and Evolution." This book, which is illustrated with many extracts (in musical notation) from the works of masters like Wagner, is issued in the International Scientific Series.

The publication of the book by Willis L. Moore, Chief of the United States Weather Bureau, entitled "Descriptive Meteorology," has been delayed from the 18th of this month, as previously announced by D. Appleton & Co., to the 8th of April.

This week Hodder & Stoughton publish a novel by Coningsby W. Dawson entitled "Murder Point: A Tale of Keewatin." The district selected by Mr. Dawson for the setting of his romance is that large stretch of land between the northern boundary of Ontario and Hudson Bay, on the north and east. It is a section known principally to the trapper and trader, and in the hands of the romancer naturally furnishes a good background for a story of adventure.

By the middle of next month Hodder & Stoughton will bring out a book by Charles Edward Russell in answer to the question, used as the book's title, "Why I am a Socialist." In this book Mr. Russell gives something of his own personal experiences in order to explain his change from individualism to Socialism—his specific reasons for this change being contained in a series of illustrations, "typical injustices which he has observed and been called upon to investigate in his capacity as a newspaper man during the last thirty years."

Fiction This Week.

Four novels are promised for next week by Dodd, Mead & Co. "The Voice in the Rice," an odd story of adventure off the Carolina coast, in which a modern hero finds himself suddenly in a community that follows the same customs and manner of life as prevailed in the days of Washington, by Gouverneur Morris. "Gloria," the story of a Princess who, with a Yankee's help, manages a revolution, by G. Frederic Turner. "The Marriage of Theodora," described as "an international romance," by Molly Elliot Seawell. "In the Service of the Princess," a Graustark story laid in a wild part of the Balkan Peninsula, by Henry C. Rowland, author of "Sea Scamps," &c.

Two art books issued this week by the John Lane Company are the "International Studio Year Book of Decorative Art for 1910," the fifth issue of the kind, containing about 400 illustrations in half tone and sixteen plates in color, descriptive of the best work in decorative art being done to-day in Great Britain, Germany, Austria, and Hungary. The other book is "Unmusical New York," by Hermann Klein—a criticism of New York on the ground that it is lacking in true musical appreciation, a criticism that the author does not find applicable to the rest of the United States, a study of which he made during an eight-year stay in this country.

Besides these two books the John Lane Company is publishing a new novel by Mrs. John Lane entitled "According to Maria," the story of a girl's progress and "arrival" in smart society, and "Simon Bolivar," by F. Lorraine Petre. In the last-named book is given an account of the personality and achievements of the South American hero.

A revised, illustrated, and much enlarged edition of George Kennan's "Tent Life in Siberia" will shortly be published by G. P. Putnam's Sons. This book was first brought out in its original form thirty-seven years ago. In the forthcoming edition there will be a number of new features, such as "Our Narrowest Escape," "The Aurora of the Sea," and "A Six-Thousand-Mile Sleighride." Some of the illustrations are from paintings by the late George A. Frost, Mr. Kennan's companion on two Siberian expeditions, and from photographs taken for the American Museum of Natural History by leaders of the Siberian parties of the Morris K. Jesup North Pacific Expedition.

A Barbarian's Confessions.

George Sylvester Viereck's new book, "The Confessions of a Barbarian," will be published in April by Moffat, Yard & Co. It will be recalled that Mr. Viereck came to America at the age of 10 and got his education here. Recently he returned to his native land, and thus "discovered" Germany. The results of his discovery, what he finds in Germany, an analysis of the people over there, from the Emperor down to the waiter, gives him the material for his forthcoming volume which is said to be somewhat sensational in quality and expressed with an eye to humorous possibilities.

Among the books of the week are three bearing the imprint of Charles Scribner's Sons—"The Indian and His Problem," a critical account of Indian affairs, notice of which was given some little time ago in this paper, by Francis E. Leupp, formerly United States Commissioner of Indian Affairs; "Promenades of an Impressionist," a series of studies of such men as Cezanne, Rops, Monticelli, Rodin, Carriere, Degas, Sorolla, Zuloaga, and Gauguin, by James Huneker, and "Wonder-Working Providence of Sion's Savior in New England," by Capt. Edward Johnson. The latter is a new volume, the ninth, in the Original Narratives of Early American History, and has been edited by J. F. Jameson, Chief of the Historical Department, Carnegie Institute, Washington. The famous old document, regarded as the first published history of New England, was written in reply to various injurious reports in England regarding the ecclesiastical and political situation in Massachusetts. It covers the period from 1628 to 1653.

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